THE WEATHER
Unsettled, generally fair tonight and Friday; not much change in temperature.

THE LOWELL SUN

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MURDER IN FIRST DEGREE

17 Killed in Battles in Ireland

ATTACK ON BIG SCALE

Sinn Feiners Seize Magistrate's House and Use it as Base

Battle Rages Furiously Until Arrival of Military Reinforcements

SKIBBEREEN, County Cork, Ireland, Feb. 3.—Six members of a party said to number several hundred Sinn Feiners were killed and several others wounded in an attack last night on a detachment of 15

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SEEKS FOR LOWELL WIFE

Mayor Thompson Asked to Act as Cupid's Agent by Westboro Man

Here is your chance, girls. Leap year is passed but matrimony is still seeking you.

Cupid has opened his office in city hall and His Honor Mayor Perry D. Thompson has consented to act as his agent.

He has been appealed to find a suitable wife for a Massachusetts man whose home is in Westboro. The fame of Lowell girls for comeliness and as prospective homemakers has apparently reached him. Anyway, he has written to the mayor thus:

"Mayor Thompson, Dear Sir: I am appealing to your kindness in helping me to find a wife. I am about 42 years old, and have only good habits. Please put this notice in the Lowell papers only. Yours truly."

The mayor has the name and address of the wife-seeker on file in his secret archives. Any Lowell maiden with aspirations for a husband 42 years old and "with only good habits" can communicate with him. He will not undertake to guarantee the husband, but he is willing to certify that Lowell girls are the best in the world, and that the Westboro man showed that he possesses some of the qualifications of a Solomon in coming to this city in search of a helpmate.

CLAIM MOVIES GIVE OFFENCE

Chinese Delegation Protests to Mayor Against Caricatures of Their Race

Assert Belief That Pictures May Be Inspired From Japanese Sources

That some of the movie films shown in Lowell playhouses are grossly offensive to the Chinese, and are calculated to bring their ancient race into contempt and disturb the friendly relation between the United States and China, was alleged by members of a delegation from the Textile school, whose homes are in China, who were received in the reception room in city hall today by Mayor Perry D. Thompson.

The members of the delegation were Chi Chung Koi of Makvin, Manchuria; Chi Chung of Peking province; Hsueh Chang Hsue of Shanghai and Cho Wang of Peking City.

The speakers asserted that the pictures of Chinese life as shown in the theatres represented what might happen in the lowest grades of society, and that they did not in any way picture life in China, or among the Chinese in America, as it really is. They said that such pictures were calculated to make Americans look upon the Chinese as a low and degraded race and to feel contempt for them. The opinion was expressed that the pictures are inspired by Japanese propaganda for the purpose of destroying the sympathy and kindly feeling that should ex-

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TARIFF BILL STILL BEFORE THE SENATE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The Fordney emergency tariff bill, surveying a day of political jockeying yesterday, still was lingering before the senate today although chances of the measure ever coming to a final vote had been reduced to uncertainty by the overwhelming defeat of the cloture resolution which reopened the gates for another flood of oratory. The bill had precedence over all business except from 12 to 2 o'clock.

RUSHES ORDER FOR NEW PLANT

Council Votes to Inspect Harvard Company Site and Give Hearing

Licensing of Packing-House To Be Jointly Considered With Health Board

The municipal council, at a special meeting today, voted unanimously to make a joint inspection of the site of a proposed packing house in the plant of the Harvard company in Patten street. It was voted to authorize the city clerk to advertise that a hearing will be given on the proposal to grant a license to Bartholomew Scannell to operate the new industry at a meeting of the council next Tuesday at 10 a. m. The members of the board of health will sit jointly with the members of the council at the hearing.

The passage of the resolution for an inspection and hearing was rushed through the council in double-quick time.

As soon as the meeting had been called to order, the mayor made a brief explanation of the reason that had caused him to summon the special session. He referred to the conference of yesterday afternoon at which the

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FOR CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—A resolution authorizing the president to invite the nations of the world to send delegates to a conference to provide for disarmament, was reported favorably today by the house foreign affairs committee. The measure was sponsored by Representative Brooks, republican, Illinois.

Under the resolution the conference would be held in Washington but the calling of it would be left to the discretion of the president.

This is the first definite action taken by any congressional committee looking to a conference for general disarmament. The senate foreign relations committee has reported out a resolution by Senator Borah, republican, Idaho, proposing negotiations among the United States, Great Britain and Japan looking to a reduction of naval building in the future.

NEW YORK CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Exchanges $743,980,705; balances $70,151,255.

DRY GOODS AT POLICE STATION

Where Wet Goods Used to Be—Alleged Attempt to Smuggle

Away Merchandise Charged Against John Bardzek and Frank Urbanek

Truck Load on Way to Haverhill Intercepted By Sergt. Dwyer

Shoes, umbrellas, pajama suits, and other dry goods of every description to the value of several thousand dollars, are held at police headquarters, and charges will be lodged against John Bardzek and Frank Urbanek as the result of complaint made by Emil Banas that they attempted to smuggle away goods on which he had a mortgage. Sergeant Dwyer of the local department was chiefly instrumental

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SELLING BOOZE TO SOLDIERS

Judge Enright Says Hippers Meet Them at the Train

Just for That Cost of Illegal Keeping is Going Up

The high cost of illegally keeping liquor is going up in Lowell!

Judge Enright, in imposing $200 fines on Manuel Freitas and Manuel Rammum on this charge in the police court this morning, increased the usual stipend by $50. This action on the part of the court is an aftermath of the appearance recently of 13 soldiers from Camp Devens on charges of drunkenness. "These men meet the soldiers as they step from the trains

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Visitor From Nashua Makes a Great Buy

Young Woman Comes Down From New Hampshire and Goes Back With a Bargain

A young woman from Nashua, N.H., came to Lowell Monday bargain hunting. Her first and only visit was made at the Merrimack Clothing Co., "across from City Hall," where the great "$20,000 Under Cost Sale" is going on.

"Her intention was to make a purchase of a waist, but before she got through she had ordered a suit, coat and three waists. "And I would have bought more if I had more money with me," commented the visitor as she picked up her bundles preparatory to boarding her car homeward. "I not only saved my car fare, but the price of the waists. Wait until I tell my neighbors about these bargains."

She must have told them for the very next forenoon, three other women from up-state came into the Merrimack Clothing Co. and made extensive purchases in suits, waists and other garments. One woman bought a suit for her boy and announced that she was going to send her husband in Saturday. She figured that on her purchases alone she would save at least the price of one suit.

And so the story goes each day this wonder sale continues. Bargains never before known in Lowell, and never again, perhaps, are offered the buying public. Manager Mahoney has slashed prices unmercifully in the men's, women's and boys' clothing departments. It's not cost prices that are asked but way below them. The directors of the Merrimack Clothing Co. voted to accept a loss of $20,000 on the cost of merchandise for this sale and the public is the beneficiary. Don't miss your share. If you do you'll regret it. No charges, no memos, no exchanges. All sales final.—Adv.

Three Lowell Gunmen Indicted by Special Grand Jury In East Cambridge Court Today

LIONEL THEBERGE

ALFRED FORTIER

EMILE THEBERGE

Alfred Fortier, Emile Theberge and Lionel Theberge were indicted today for murder in the first degree and also for robbery, by a special grand jury session called by District Attorney Nathan A. Tufts at Cambridge, to consider their cases. Tomorrow, the district attorney will appear before the court and move that a date be set for the trial of the men, who are accused of having slain David N. Tallen, a Middlesex street storekeeper. Officer Joseph Clark, who arrested Fortier, Superintendent Welch, Lieutenant Petrie and other members of the local police department who participated in the arrest of the defendants, were among the witnesses who testified in connection with the crime.

NON-UNION BARBER SHOPS PICKETED

Steps to prevent union barbers from patronizing non-union barber shops on Thursday afternoons were taken this noon when John B. Curtin, president of Barbers' union, local 323, ordered non-union barber shops to be picketed this afternoon.

Mr. Curtin stated this noon that repeated complaints had been made to him about members of the Barbers' union patronizing other shops on Thursday afternoons when union shops are closed. He said that he thought it only fair that the barbers should be made to realize that if they wanted men to patronize union shops they must do it themselves.

The president said he did not want to take any radical steps in the matter and did not wish the public to misinterpret the placing of pickets in front of non-union shops. Those barbers who are seen patronizing non-union shops on Thursday afternoons or work in them will not be interfered with, but will simply be reported to their locals, he said.

These organizations will deal with each individual case as they see it, but under any circumstances, he declared, it is most certain that they will not get away without being fined. A second offense will mean a suspension from the union, it is understood.

It is estimated that there are a great many non-union barber shops in the city and those in the union have been complaining of late that considerable business has been taken away on Thursday afternoons. At three successive meetings of the Barbers' union, however, a motion to bring back the all-day Thursday work in union barber shops was voted down by a large majority.

President Curtin declared this morning that the barber's business was hard hit by the war. The young fellows who entered the service were either presented a shaving kit by the Red Cross or by some friend and many of them since leaving the army have continued to practise the custom learned in the army of shaving themselves.

"Slowly, Slowly—Hour by Hour—
That's the Way;
Just a Little Every Day."
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

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We urge you to open a Savings Account with us.

Keep everlastingly at it, and almost before you know it, you will have a respectable sum to your credit.

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Member of Federal Reserve System

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Sacred Heart Holy Name Social Club Minstrels
All the Favorite Local Artists
TRAINED CHORUS 100 FRESH, YOUNG VOICES
All the Popular Hits of the Day
N. Y. VAUDEVILLE REVIEW
Entertainers All New to This City
SEATS NOW ON SALE AT THE BOX OFFICE
It Promises to be the Best Sunday Concert of the Year.

Ninth Annual Dance by the
BELLEVUE SOCIAL CLUB
Friday Evening, Feb. 4, 1921
ASSOCIATE HALL
Admission 35¢, Tax Paid. Miner-Doyle's Orchestra

KASINO SPECIAL SATURDAY NIGHT
Miner-Doyle's 10 Piece Orchestra
THE MUSIC BEAUTIFUL
Don't Fail to Hear This Wonderful Orchestra
ADMISSION FREE

TOMORROW NIGHT—LINCOLN HALL
KISS WALTZES by the LINCOLN CLUB
Every Waltz Will Be a Kiss Waltz
ADMISSION 35c, TAX PAID CAMPBELL'S ORCHESTRA

Wey-A-Hed Boys
Dixieland Jazz Band—Tickets 35¢, Tax Paid
DRACUT GRANGE HALL—TONIGHT

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LOWELL, — MASS.

LOWELL INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS
1829-1921
INTEREST BEGINS FEBRUARY 5
18 SHATTUCK ST.

The Annual Meeting
of the Stockholders of the
Lowell Co-Operative Association
Will Be Held On
FRIDAY EVE., FEB. 4th
At 7.15 o'clock, in the Odd Fellows Building, Middlesex Street.
Business—The Election of Two Directors, Treasurer, Clerk and Auditor. Action on the Semi-Annual Report. General Business.
Per order,
BENJAMIN HOLGATE, Pres.
SAM ASQUITH, Clerk.

Moses Greeley Parker Fund
LECTURES
"The Movies and the Multitude"
PROFESSOR RICHARD BURTON
University of Minnesota
HIGH SCHOOL HALL
THURSDAY, FEB. 3, 8 P. M.
Admission to these lectures will be by free tickets furnished on request in advance. Application may be made in person, by letter, or telephone to the Committee on the Moses Greeley Parker Fund Lectures, Lowell Community Service, Runels Building, Merrimack Square. Telephone 5296.

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50th Year
A mutual bank, conducted for its depositors.
Deposits over $7,000,000.
Interest Begins Next Saturday

ATTENTION!
STOP! Where are you going Friday night?
LOOK! For our ads. and read them.
LISTEN! Come and hear our 1921 Minstrel Revue.
As Presented by the Sacred Heart Holy Name Social Club.
Chorus of 100 Voice—Hear Such Stars As—
Sacred Heart Club Quartet, Katherine Callery, John Doyle, Martin Herron, Gene McCann, Warren Kane, The Dion Sisters, Fred Sharkey, Kathleen Jennings, Frank Nadeau, Grace Burke, Martin Maguire, Lawrence Hayden, Peter Kane, Charles Clancy, James Deignan
See the O'Connor Sisters in "Irish Dances"
ALBERT FORREST, PIANIST.
SACRED HEART HALL, MOORE ST., FRIDAY EVE., 8 O'CLOCK
Admission 50 Cents — Morey's Orchestra

THE GALA EVENT OF THE SEASON
MUSICAL ODDITY and DANCE
By The
Y. M. C. I.
ASSOCIATE HALL, NEXT TUESDAY EVENING
(Night Before Lent)
Broderick's Orchestra — Admission 50¢, Tax Paid

14th Annual Social and Dance
THE FALCON'S AT LINCOLN HALL TONIGHT
BY
Broderick's Orchestra—Tickets 35¢, Tax Paid

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RIBBONS FOR SASHES—12-inch sash ribbon in three combinations. Regular price $3.49. Now ..... **$2.00** Yard

RIBBON CAMISOLES—In light and dark colors. Regular price $4.00. Now..... **$2.00**

WASH RIBBON—In pink only. 10 yards for..... **29c**

HAIRBOW TAFFETA RIBBONS—In pink, light blue, Alice, brown, green, white, yellow, red, old rose, sage, nile green, navy, lavender, copen and black, extra heavy quality. Now ..... **69¢** Yard

CAMISOLE AND SASH RIBBONS—8 inches wide, beautiful quality. Regular prices $1.49 and $1.89. Now **$1.00** Yard

DRESDEN RIBBONS—8 inches wide, special for camisoles and sashes. Now.... **79¢** Yard

TWO-TONE 1½-INCH WIDE RIBBONS—In all new combinations, including black and orange. Now.....**69¢** Yard

SOMETHING NEW—MELLON BAG TOPS—In six colors. Now **$1.98**

BLACK MOIRE RIBBON—11 inches wide, just the thing for sashes. Now **$2.49** Yard

Street Floor—Near Elevators

STATE OWNED INDUSTRIES

N. D. Industrial Commission Report Shows Net Profits of $116,427.75

BISMARCK, N. D., Feb. 3.—The annual report of the state industrial commission, submitted to the legislature yesterday showed net profits of all state-owned and operated industries, $116,427.75 up to Jan. 1 last.

The net profit of the Bank of North Dakota was given as $175,509.50.

The Drake Mill and Elevator association showed a loss of $17,668.31.

"The experience with the Drake mill has demonstrated," the report said, "that even with a small mill expensive to operate, the farmer can be paid a price for his wheat higher than the market at elevators. In a large, modern equipped mill, such as is being constructed at Grand Forks, vastly better returns are positively assured."

The commission criticizes the Ninth District Federal Bank of Minneapolis, "which," the report says, "forced vast amounts of liquidation within the state of North Dakota at a time when it was extending further credit to other sections in the same district.

"The reserve bank also refused to extend credit to enable the farmer to hold his crop for a reasonable price at the same time that it was extending credits in such a manner that the milling interests of the Twin Cities were enabled to use those credits to hold the same crop after it got into their hands."

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Traffic Club Meeting Tomorrow Evening—Boy Scout Commissioners Will Meet This Evening—Other Meetings

On Friday evening in the chamber of commerce rooms the Traffic club will hold a meeting. It will combine business and pleasure. H. F. Bowman, chairman of the entertainment committee has arranged an entertainment program which will be a great surprise to the members of the club. Several applications for membership will be considered.

The Traffic club was organized to promote the commerce of Lowell, to act as an agency for the interchange of information and the discussion of traffic matters among its members, to work for the improvement of general transportation facilities and to promote good fellowship among the members and transportation fraternity. Any person who has charge of or is actively engaged in traffic or transportation matters may become a member by filing application with the secretary.

This evening the Boy Scout commissioners of this city will hold a meeting at 7.30 o'clock and the Retail Merchants and Grocers' association will meet at 8 o'clock.

Since the Boy Scout executive in this city gave up his position the chamber of commerce commissioners have taken on it upon themselves to handle the details of the local scout organization and are doing their utmost to keep the boys off the streets on a fine basis.

We strive to make this a store where your ideas of Merchandise and Service are realized.

The Bon Marché DRY GOODS CO.

QUEEN QUALITY SHOES FOR WOMEN

REGAL SHOES FOR MEN

Street Floor, Near Kirk Street Entrance

AFTER STOCK-TAKING SALE

WE HAVE TAKEN OUR STOCKS AND BIG REDUCTIONS HAVE BEEN TAKEN. WE HAVE PUT ON PRICES THAT WILL MAKE VALUES BELOW ANYTHING YOU HAVE SEEN IN A LONG TIME.

The next ten days will be hummers if good values count. Suits reduced, Coats reduced, Dresses reduced, Pyle Fabric Coats reduced, Skirts reduced—and tremendous reductions have been taken on all our Infants' and Children's Wear, also all Flannelette Robes, Skirts and Bloomers.

FUR TRIMMED COATS

$19.50, $25, $29.50, $35 to $79.50

We have made some wonderful purchases in fur trimmed coats in bolivia, suedine and velour with Australian opossum, nutria, raccoon and beaver collars. All silk lined and well tailored. These prices will not pay for the material.

—— SECOND FLOOR ——

FUR TRIMMED SUITS

$25.00, $29.50, $39.50

Fur trimmed and tailored suits, made of salon, velour and duvi de laine. Many of them trimmed with the finest fur collars of Australian opossum, nutria and mole, all custom tailored, hand made suits. AT LESS THAN ONE-HALF PRICE.

—— SECOND FLOOR ——

PYLE FABRIC COATS

SALTS FINEST FUR FABRIC COATS

$39.50, $49.50, $59.50 to $98.50

Including Bay seal, Hudson seal, Bearing seal with heavy silk pyle that looks better than most fur coats. These coats are about half price.

—— SECOND FLOOR ——

FUR COATS

We have taken big reductions on all our fur coats at stock-taking.

MARMOT, raccoon trimmed. Now..... **$125.00**
RACCOON, best quality. Now..... **$189.50**
HUDSON SEAL. Now **$189.50**
NEARSEAL, Skunk collar and cuffs. Now **$189.50**

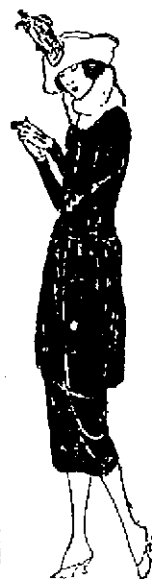
—— SECOND FLOOR ——

WONDERFUL DRESSES

$12.50, $19.50, $25.00, $29.50

Our entire stock of satin, tricotine, serge and panne velvet dresses at tremendous reductions and many new dresses bought at a part of their real value.

—— SECOND FLOOR ——



CHILDREN'S WEAR

Everything in children's wear at big reductions. We have taken enormous markdowns in this department, and many things are at way below replacement prices. Children's coats, children's dresses, children's bonnets, in fact everything in infants' and children's wear is at bargain prices.

—— SECOND FLOOR ——

WAISTS

Over fifteen thousand dollars' worth of finest waists marked at special values for the next two weeks. Georgette, Pongee, Crepe de Chine, Wash Satin, and Hand-Made Waists.

$3.98 Tailored Waists—Now..... **$2.49**
$4.98 Waists—Now **$2.98**
$6.98 to $7.98 Waists—Now..... **$4.98**
$7.50 to $9.50 Waists—Now..... **$5.98**
$2.50 Waists—Now **$1.65**

—— SECOND FLOOR ——

WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY SPECIALS

WOMEN'S MERCERIZED LISLE HOSE—Full fashioned, double soles and high spliced heels, in black and cordovan. Special at ..... **$1.00** Pair

CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS—In black ribbed cotton, reinforced heels and toes. Regular prices 39c and 45c. Special at ..... **25¢** Pair

WOMEN'S HEAVY WEIGHT SILK HOSE—Full fashioned, double soles and high spliced heels, black, gray, mouse, cordovan, medium brown and navy. Regular price $3.00. Special at..... **$2.00** Pair

WOMEN'S PURE SILK HOSE—Also silk and fibre mixed, regular and outsizes, some with ribbed tops, seamed back, double soles and high spliced heels. Regular price $2.00. Special at ..... **$1.00** Pair

—— STREET FLOOR ——

NEW MILLINERY FOR IMMEDIATE WEAR

SMART SAILORS, with very narrow brims, are most becoming and popular for immediate wear. The crowns are of batavia, hemp and fisere, with brims of georgette crepe and batavia. Many flowers and tailored bows are used for trimmings. ALL SPRING COLORINGS. Priced **$6.50 and $7.50**

Almost Daily We Receive Shipments of the Very Newest Ideas in Spring Millinery—Satins and straws—faille silk, cellophane—all straws and flower hats of the better styles. There are no two hats alike. Priced **$7.50 to $18.00**

WOMEN'S KNIT UNDERWEAR

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS—Mercerized, medium weight lisle, band top, sleeveless, knee and ankle length, flesh and white, regular and outsizes; regular price $4.50. Special at **$3.00**

WOMEN'S VESTS—Mercerized, medium weight lisle, low neck, sleeveless, band top, regular and outsizes; regular price $2.50. Special at..... **$1.50**

WOMEN'S SILK AND WOOL UNION SUITS—Low neck and sleeveless, Dutch neck, elbow sleeves, high neck, long sleeves, knee and ankle length; regular prices $5.00 and $5.50. Special at.... **$3.00, $3.50**

WOMEN'S SILK AND WOOL VESTS—With tights to match, regular and outsizes; regular prices $3.00 and $3.25. Special at ..... **$1.75, $2.00** Gar.

—— STREET FLOOR ——

JEWELRY SPECIALS

Genuine Shell Cameo Brooch, gold filled mountings, safety catch; regular value $1.50. Friday and Saturday **$1.98**

Graduated Red Rock Opera Beads, torpedo clasp; regular price $1.50. Friday and Saturday **$1.29**

Oxidized Silver Bag Tops, clean handle, assorted shapes and sizes; regular prices $1.00 and $1.50. Friday and Saturday ..... **69¢**

Graduated Pearl Opera Beads, solid gold clasp; regular price $1.00. Friday and Saturday ..... **59¢**

White Metal Bar Pins, set with white stones, colored centres, variety of patterns; regular price $1.00. Friday and Saturday ..... **59¢**

Snap Cuff Links, pearl center, nickel silver rims; regular price 50c. Friday and Saturday ..... **19¢**

Shell Goods Specials

CASQUE COMBS—Mounted with colored and white stones; regular price $2.00. Friday and Saturday. **$1.50**

PLAIN CARVED SPANISH COMBS—In shell and demi, regular prices $1.00 and $1.50. Friday and Saturday **89c**

ALUMINUM BARRETTES Set with rhinestones, shell tongue and catch; regular price 65c. Friday and Saturday **49c**

Leather Goods Specials

Real Leather Bags—In grey, brown and tan, long strap top handle, regular price $4.00. Friday and Saturday **$2.79**

Persian Leather Purses—Black and colors; regular price $3.00. Friday and Saturday **$1.98**

Black and Colored Leather Purses—Regular price $1.00. Friday and Saturday ..... **50¢**

Velvet Bags—In all colors; regular prices $2.00 and $2.25. Friday and Saturday **$1.00**

Velvet Beds—In brown, blue and black; regular price $4.00. Friday and Saturday **$2.00**

Black Leather Music Cases—Top strap handles; regular price $4.50. Friday and Saturday. **$3.00**

ST. MICHAEL'S GLEE CLUB

Scores Another Triumph—Minstrel Show and Dance at Associate Hall

Whenever any organization of St. Michael's church presents a public entertainment, young and old of the parish are out in large numbers in support of it and it is always a success. Another instance to confirm this fact was the unprecedented success attending the offering by St. Michael's Glee club in Associate hall last night, of minstrelsy and melody and songs of olden days. The entertainment really took the form of a reunion of all the members of the parish and terms of appreciation were heard on all sides.

Earnest preparation had been put into the show so that every number was well nigh perfect when rehearsed before the public last evening. Frank J. Delgnan, musical director, and William Paul McCarthy, accompanist, were the originators of the show and it was to a great extent due to their efforts that it met with such patronage and success.

There was such a large crowd in attendance that it was some time after the show that the hall was cleared for general dancing, which followed until near midnight. One of the features of the entertainment was the jocosity of the end men, Ernest J. Ready, Thomas A. Grourke, Charles F. Kilbride and Francis Jelly, which thus gave the show more the atmosphere of a minstrel show.

In the three numbers of the opening chorus, Frank Delgnan, musical director, used eleven of his violin students in augmenting the orchestral music and thus put the first number across with great vim. The violinists were Paul Quinn, Thomas Pendergast, John Casserly, Thomas Delgnan, William Harrington, Francis Green, Raymond Whelton, Blanche O'Riley, Christina Brick, Mary Conlon and Ruth McLaughlin.

The three character songs and dances offered by Miss Peggy O'Riley, well known in this city from her appearance in various other high class entertainments, made a decided hit. Miss Peggy is one of the musical Riley family under which name she and her sisters are known. During the various war-time drives in this city Miss Peggy lent her assistance by singing dainty little war songs in the local theatres. Another number deserving particular mention was that by McGrail and Walker in songs and dances McGrail sang "Palesteena" very effectively and Walker contributed the solo "Caresses."

The program of the evening was as follows:

End men: Ernest J. Ready, Thomas A. Grourke, "Duffy," Charles F. Kilbride; "Sweeney," Francis Jelly.
Prologue—"Old Black Joe."
Opening chorus:
(a) "Whispering"
(b) "Feather Your Nest"
(c) "Rose of My Heart"
Entire Chorus
"The Argentines"
"Sweeney"
"When You Were Sweet Sixteen"
Katherine Cunningham
"The Profiteers, They Won't Leave Me Alone"
"Duffy"
"Old Pal, Why Don't You Answer Me"
Thomas Carlin
"My Dixie Rose"
Ernest J. Ready
Melodies That Never Grow Old:
"Carry Me Back to Old Virginny"
"Sweet Adeline"
"Sunshine of Paradise Alley"
Entire Chorus
Songs and dances:
"Ding Toes"
"My Gee Gee From the Fiji Isles"
"My Mammy"
Peggy O'Riley of Stanton's Dancing School
"Down on the Bamboo Isle"
Thomas A. Grourke
"When You and I Were Young, Maggie", (By request)
Martin H. Maguire and selections by Honey Boy Quartette
Revue: Songs and Dances
McGrail and Walker
"Mocking Bird"—Whistling solo
James Kennedy
"I Had a Gal, I Had a Pal"
James Deignan
"My Wild Irish Rose"
George F. Lynch
Closing chorus:
"The Bells of St. Mary's"
"Tara"
Entire Chorus

George F. Lynch was the interlocutor and he put a great deal of pep and fun into the pranks of his end men. The officers of the dance were: James Mullin, general manager; James Duddy, Herbert Kenyon, assistants; Francis Ready, floor director; John Flannery, John J. Coughlin, chief aids.

REV. DANIEL A. BARRY

Former Lowell Priest Active in Formation of K. of C. Council in Colorado

Rev. Daniel A. Barry, formerly of this city and now pastor of St. Patrick's church, Holly, Col., gave the invocation and hearty welcome at the institution of the first K. of C. council at that place recently. It was a red letter day for Holly, says The Lamar Daily News, and one of the most interesting initiations in Colorado for many years.

A special train was chartered by the Holly council and all members and their friends were taken to the famous Harvey house at Syracuse, Kansas, where a banquet was served. Nearly 300 people sat at the banquet table.

In the story of the event which occupies more than a column in the Lamar paper it is stated that much credit is due Fr. Barry, "through whose live wire work the council was formed."

Rev. Fr. Barry is a brother of Mr. Michael Barry of Pawtucketville and has another brother, John Barry, located in Connecticut.

HOLD SALES CONVENTION

Representatives of Various Gas and Electric Light Companies Meet Here

Men attending the sales convention of various gas and electric light companies of New England, held here today and to continue all day tomorrow, arrived in this city shortly before noon today. All arrangements for the visitors were attended to by C. W. Halstead, F. H. Jones, and P. J. Wilson of the local Electric Light corporation, they themselves, representing their own company.

Among the out-of-town men here for the convention and who will be booked at local hotels this evening are: Parker Allen, R. T. Phillips, Abington, Mass., Harry Smith, Charles Buckingham, Brockton; W. K. Eavenson, Fall River; W. R. Bell, C. D. Roberts, Haverhill; C. L. Kebbe, New London, Conn.; R. Buckminster, H. J. Pettengill, C. H. Hilton, R. H. Perley, Pawtucket, R. I.; S. E. Choquette, M. Wheelock, Woonsocket, R. I.

At noon today the men gathered at the Yorick club for lunch and early in the afternoon they visited the Bay State Cotton corporation for a tour of the plant. Among local men in the electrical business it is the general opinion that the Bay State Cotton corporation is one of the best electrically equipped establishments in this section of the country. It is understood that the plant has many features and improvements which are of interest to the men attending the convention. Later in the afternoon the men visited the Textile school.

The convention is a social or get-together meeting similar to those held previously in other cities and when representatives of Lowell concerns have attended. Although many of the details of the convention are in the hands of the officials of the electric light corporation the headquarters for the men is really at the rooms of the chamber of commerce.

HAULING BOAT DELAYED

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla., Feb. 3.—Delayed by channel obstructions, President-elect Harding's houseboat Victoria pushed her way slowly northward in the Indian river today on the second leg of her cruise back to St. Augustine. Her captain expected to reach Palm beach by late afternoon.

At Palm beach Mr. Harding probably will play golf and have dinner at a private home.

The Arabs regard whistling as the most unlucky sound that can emanate from human lips.

Cypress and walnut, when used in contact, cause each other to rot.

PALMER SUED FOR MAN'S DEATH

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Suit for $350,000 against Atty. Gen. Palmer and Anthony Caminetti, commissioner general of immigration was filed in the district supreme court yesterday in behalf of Mrs. Mary M. Marcinak, of Passaic, N. J., the case arising out of the arrest and subsequent death of her husband during the "red raids" in January, 1920.

Allegation is made that the Marcinak home was forcibly entered, searched and papers removed as a result of a conspiracy between the two officials; that Marcinak was held in jail first, then at Ellis island without adequate care or medical attention, due to which his death resulted. It was further averred that Marcinak was not a member of the communist party or any other association opposed to organized government and that his death had left his wife with two small children to support, necessitating work that undermined her health.

LADIES' DAY AT THE COURT HOUSE

This was ladies' day at the court house, in Gorham street, or at least that is the way Clerk William C. Dillingham of the superior court looked at it, for during the forenoon there were no less than 25 members of the fair sex, who called to file their first naturalization papers.

Mr. Dillingham arrived at the court house shortly before 10 o'clock and upon his arrival he found more than two score of women awaiting him. All had their applicatin blanks filled even the space which pertains to the age of the applicant and they all promised to be on hand when the time comes for them to file their second papers. About twenty men also filed first and second papers today. Mr. Dillingham will return to this city tomorrow.

Claim Movies Give Offence

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ist between the United States and China.

The Mayor a Yankee

Mayor Thompson in reply called attention to the fact that other nationalities are caricatured on the films and called attention to the fact that the Yankee is usually pictured as a bucolic individual, with trousers tucked into cowhide boots, and with uncouth manners, and then said that he is a Yankee and asked his audience if he looked very much like the stage Yankee.

During his audience with the delegation the mayor told of his long and intimate association with the Chinese of Lowell, and of the pleasant relations that had always existed between himself and representatives of the race.

He referred to the fact that he and his father had become intimately acquainted years ago with Charles Lee, one of the early Chinese to make his home in this city, and of the assistance he was able to render him when he returned for a time for a visit to his Chinese home and then found difficulty in entering the United States again.

The mayor complimented the members of the delegation on their facility in using the English language, and said it was remarkable how quickly they had picked up the vernacular.

To Study Conditions

In conclusion, he asked them to study conditions in America, and said "our ways are not so bad as they are sometimes painted."

Previous to meeting the mayor the members of the delegation were taken for a tour of inspection of the different departments in city hall. They arrived just too late for a view of the municipal council in session, but the way in which it functions was carefully explained to them. Some of them seemed to be surprised that all of the business of the council is transacted in public.

In conversation with the newspapermen they said that they all attended church in Lowell, and said that China was a land of many religions and religious tolerance, and disavowed that they were Christians.

Attack on Big Scale

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police between Burgada and Rosscarbery, according to reports from police sources today. The attacking party was beaten off after a fierce fight abandoning a quantity of ammunition.

The police, the reports declare, sustained no casualties.

The attack was on an elaborate scale the accounts state. The Sinn Feiners had as a base the house of Magistrate King, which they had commandeered the previous night and they attacked from the surrounding grounds. The police returned their fire and the battle raged until the arrival of military and police reinforcements when the attacking party was routed. The house was badly damaged.

The official announcement says that 20 policemen were attacked by 500 "rebels" who contemplated an attack on the Royal Irish Constabulary barracks at Rosscarbery. The previous day, adds the account, the Sinn Feiners took possession of the magistrate's house and imprisoned his family, and also the Dean of Ross, all of whom were badly treated.

LORRY BLOWN UP

DUBLIN, Feb. 3—Four men are dead as a result of an ambush of a squad of auxiliary police at Fallsinalee, near here, yesterday, two of the wounded having died late last night. One of two motor lorries was blown up by a mine set in a road. It is said that this was the first time such a method of attack had been used against crown forces in Ireland.

Three lorries loaded with police were attacked here last night, several bombs being thrown at them. The officers on board returned the fire, two civilians being wounded. A constable in plain clothes who was cycling along Trinity street was shot dead during the evening.

Lord Dunsany on Trial

DUBLIN, Feb. 3.—Lord Dunsany, poet and playright, who was arrested when search of Dunsany castle, in County Meath, disclosed several shotguns and other sporting arms will be tried by court martial at the Kilmainham court house tomorrow. The charge against him is keeping firearms and ammunition not under effective military control.

$8.00 Plaid Skirts for....$4.98
$15.00 Plaid Skirts for....$7.77

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$10.00 Tuxedo Sweaters, $5.77
$5.00 All Wool Skirts...$3.77

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We intend to close out the balance of our Fur Coats, Scarfs and Muffs in the next few days at slashed prices, the greatest bargains ever.

$350.00 FRENCH SEAL COAT, with skunk or marten collar and cuffs, for $195.00
$250.00 RACCOON COAT $179.50
$179.00 MARMOT COAT, raccoon collar and cuffs, $89.50
$125.00 PLAIN MARMOT COATS for $69.50
$250.00 MUSKRAT COATS for $169.00
$179.00 LEOPARD COATS for $89.50
$200.00 NEARSEAL COATS for $98.50
$175.00 NATURAL LYNX COATS for $79.50
$100.00 BLACK PONY COATS for $57.50

FUR SCARFS AND MUFFS To Close Out at Prices Below Cost to Make.

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OUT GOES THE BALANCE AT SACRIFICE PRICES

$30.00 COATS for $15.77
$35.00 COATS for $19.77
$45.00 COATS for $24.77
$60.00 COATS for $37.77
$30.00 SHORT PLUSH COATS for $14.77
$3.00 TIE-BACK SWEATERS for $1.98

SUITS

$25.00 LADIES' AND MISSES' SUITS $15.77
$35.00 LADIES' AND MISSES' SUITS $19.77
$50.00 LADIES' AND MISSES' SUITS $24.77
$70.00 LADIES' AND MISSES' SUITS $29.77

WAISTS

$1.50 WAISTS AND CAMISOLES ..... 77¢
$3.00 SILK AND LINGERIE WAISTS $1.37
$4.00 SILK AND LINGERIE WAISTS $2.37
$7.00 GEORGETTE AND CREPE DE CHINE WAISTS, $4.77

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WOMEN'S SHOES That sold from $4 to $6 $1.25

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Suitable Frocks for Morning, Noon And Night of the Week-End Visit

Almost every woman likes to keep on hand an outfit suitable for a week-end trip.

Here is a worth-while suggestion from "Cornered," at the Astor theatre in New York.

The sports costume with its sleeveless bandeau of white pique, plaid skirt of tan and brown and tan sweater, answers for forenoon.

The quaint, big-flowered silk with its velvet ribbon girdle and feather fan hanging from it, its clusters of velvet-centered chiffon roses and its odd turned-back shoulder sleeves that really are not sleeves at all, but "caps," is an appropriate frock for any evening affair. Both of these are worn by Natalie Manning.

Then for afternoons there is Madge Kennedy's frock of dark blue satin. It would be attractive also in tricotine or serge. This one has a foundation of fine batiste.

With these three frocks any week-end visit anywhere ought to be entirely successful, at least from the clothes point of view.

NAVAL APPROPRIATION

Half Billion Needed to Complete Building Program Started in 1916

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Nearly half a billion dollars will be required to complete the great naval building program embarked upon in 1916 the house appropriations committee estimated yesterday in reporting the naval appropriation bill for the fiscal year 1922. The committee said that while the total cost of completing the program was originally placed at $544,000,000, increased cost of materials and labor probably would increase the total to $973,931,000, of which $535,270,000 has been appropriated.

The bill reported yesterday which carries a total of $395,594,444.23, provides $90,000,000 for continuing construction next year.

"This amount," the accompanying report stated, "will allow the work to be prosecuted during the coming fiscal year about as rapidly as it has been possible to proceed thus far in the current fiscal year."

The 1916 program authorized 156 ships. Many of these have been completed, but 17 battleships and battle cruisers and a number of auxiliaries are still under construction.

The bill as it reached the house yesterday carried $57,775,129.77 less than the amount requested by the navy department. Besides the cut in the enlisted personnel of the navy from 143,000 to 100,000 heretofore announced, the committee also cut the marine corps from 27,400 to 20,000 enlisted men. No reduction, however, will be made in the number of officers in either branch of the service.

A force of 100,000 men, the committee said, would be sufficient to keep at least 354 vessels in operation or 32 more than were in the entire navy in 1916. The appropriation for aviation is $6,913,431, a reduction of $28,086,569 from estimates and $13,086,000 less than was appropriated for this year.

An appropriation of $550,000 for work on yards and stations on the Atlantic and Gulf coasts is recommended, while $4,907,000 is proposed for yards on the Pacific coast and in Hawaii. No provision is made for the yard at Portsmouth, N. H., for the naval station at Guam. For the latter the navy department recommended $1,499,000.

INCOME TAX RETURN IMPORTANT DOCUMENT

"Your income tax is an important document, Mr. Taxpayer, and great care should be taken in preparing it," cautions John J. Mitchell, collector of internal revenue, recalling the different penalties that may be imposed through the omission or wilful evasion of a taxable item and the impropriety of guessing at the amounts set forth.

"The return is sent to Washington and audited, after which it becomes a permanent record which may be referred to a month or a year later, and should any error be discovered at that time the accrual of penalties will make quite a heavy sum.

"You can see how it affects a big income by the experience of a concern not very long ago. They made a return in 1917 which was not audited until 1919 when it was found that they should be assessed on an additional $300,000. When the case was finally settled they had to pay interest of one per cent. per month, or 36 per cent., plus five per cent. of the amount due. It cost them something for their carelessness.

"Some taxpayers might be inclined to take deductions to which they are not entitled or to omit some item which is taxable. When the return is audited, whether it be a month, a year, or three years as in the other case, the interest charges are applied and the sum reaches a pretty large amount by the time settlement is made.

"If it is found that the omissions are made wilfully, with an intent to evade the tax, then in addition to the usual penalties there is levied an assessment of 50 per cent. of the tax evaded besides the possibility of imprisonment.

"All returns are verified eventually and every item carefully scrutinized in the audit. Taxpayers should bear this in mind so that in case it is necessary to refer to their returns sometime later they should be ready to account for each amount and to explain all deductions claimed by them."

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North Adams' Oldest Official Resigns

NORTH ADAMS, Feb. 3.—After supervising 10,000 burials in 36 years as city sexton, J. Henry Orr has resigned. He was rated as the oldest city official. John H. Orr, father of the retiring sexton, was the previous incumbent of the office for 25 years.

Appeal for Work for Unemployed

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—In a drive to obtain work for the increasing number of jobless, a committee on social agencies today mailed to thousands of householders in this city the following appeal:

"Does your kitchen or cellar need whitening?"

"Do your windows need washing?"

"Are your bells out of order?"

"Help yourself, the community and a man out of a job by having these things attended to now."

Fell 16 Stories, Sprained Little Finger

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Nathan Cohen, structural iron worker, who plunged from the top of a new 16-story building in Broadway yesterday, reported for work today. His fall through space was broken by a heavy canvas debris receptacle stretched from the fifth tier. His little finger was sprained.

YOUNGEST JAZZ DRUMMER

Here's the world's youngest jazz drummer. He is Michael Howe, aged 8, of San Francisco, and he challenges all comers. In a personal letter he says: "I've seen some papers raving about a champion child organist, chess player and linguist and I'd like to know why I'm left out." All right, Mike, here you are.

LOWELL CHAUFFEURS' DANCE

A well attended dancing party was held in Lincoln hall last evening. The affair was conducted under the auspices of the Lowell chauffeurs and was a success in every way. Concert numbers were given in the early part of the evening and later general dancing was started and continued till a seasonable hour. The officers for the evening were: Edward E. McSweeney, general manager; J. A. Lutender, assistant general manager; Robert Soulter, floor director.

Of Mexico's total mineral production, exclusive of oil, $90,000,000, only a third has been exported and only two-fifths worked.

K. OF C. GLEE CLUB

So successful were the efforts of the members of the Knights of Columbus in their recent minstrel show for the benefit of the K. of C. guild that it has been decided to form a glee club. The quality of the show presented for the guild gives ample proof that there is excellent material in the organization for one of the best glee clubs in the city. Most of the young men who participated in the K. of C. minstrel show will join the glee club. The following were appointed to make preliminary arrangements for the club: James P. Molloy, chairman; William F. Thornton, William Earley, John E. Hart, John F. Roane, Jr., and John Coyne. The services of Andrew A. McCarthy have been secured as musical director. The first rehearsal will be next Sunday afternoon.

LAWRENCE A.A. CLUB

At the next meeting of the Lawrence A.A., Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, the final reports of the recent drawing contest will be read. Routine business was transacted at the last meeting of the club in its quarters at 45 North street. The officers of the club are: Frank Sullivan, president; James Callahan, vice president; Albert Lowney, treasurer; Thomas Elmer, secretary.

EXTRA CAR SUNDAY

The residents of Tewksbury are much pleased with the additional electric car that is being operated between the town and this city Sunday mornings. The car leaves Lowell at 7.45 a. m., is due in Wamesit at 8 a. m., Tewksbury Centre at 8.05 and Foster's turnout at 8.15. The car returns to Lowell, leaving Foster's turnout at 8.15, arriving at the Centre at 8.25, at Wamesit at 8.30 and at Merrimack square at 8.45.

DECIDES TO TELL FACTS TO PEOPLE OF LOWELL

Feels That Entire City Should Fight Against the Terrible Torture

Prominent Business Man Expresses His Appreciation Over Toxo Treatment

"The reason that I'm telling you this is because of this little friend," said a prominent business man as he held up a little package. We smiled, for we were happy to see the thing he displayed was a box of Toxo, the wonderful treatment for constipation and indigestion.

"As I was walking along the street the other day," continued the business man, "I had several of my friends stop me and remark how well I was looking. And every time I had to laugh to myself for the secret was the little Toxo treatment package in my pocket.

"When I recall how wretched I was and the misery I went through, all due to constipation and stomach trouble, I really believe that it's a horrible dream. I was all run down and tired out. My face was pale and I felt nervous and haggard. My bowels were out of order and my breath was so bad I feared to go near any of my friends.

I had terrible headaches and felt sharp, hot pains in my stomach and chest and it seemed as if I had suffered for years until I commenced using Toxo. It wasn't but a short time later that I was myself again, my bowels were working in good shape and everywhere I went people spoke of how well I looked. I've made up my mind to tell the secret to all my friends so that they may enjoy the wonders of Toxo treatment—whether it be for constipation, indigestion or other stomach ills or liver."

Toxo as a treatment for constipation or indigestion—as well as any stomach trouble, has done wonders ever since it has been offered to the public. It formerly was prepared only for the personal use of thousands of doctors all over the country. You now need no prescription to buy it. Simply get it at Dows' Drug stores on Merrimack street by asking for Toxo. It is pleasant to take and mild in action. Keep it in the house at all times.—Adv.

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Has Your Back Given Out?

ARE you dragging along day in and day out with a dull, throbbing backache? Do you feel lame in the morning, tired all day; suffer sharp, torturing twinges at every sudden move? Then there's something wrong! So why not find out what it is and try to correct it? You may never have suspected your kidneys, yet often it's the kidneys that are at fault. A cold, strain, or overwork congests the kidneys and slows them up; poisons accumulate in the system and many mysterious aches and pains result. You may have headaches and dizzy spells, too, with perhaps some annoying bladder irregularity. Don't wait for more serious trouble. You owe it to yourself to get well and stay well. Use DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS. They have helped many Lowell folks. They should help you.

These Are Lowell Cases:

WALNUT STREET

Alex. Paterson, baker, 51 Walnut street, says: "Kidney trouble kept me miserable for some time. My back ached and I could hardly stoop while at my work. It was just as hard for me to straighten up. My kidneys acted irregularly, too. I read of Doan's Kidney Pills and got a supply, using them as directed. They rid me of the backache and kidney trouble."

WASHINGTON STREET

Mrs. L. W. Cather, 67 Washington street, says: "My kidneys were weak. I was in a run down condition, had no energy and felt dull and languid. [illegible] I was dizzy at times and had nervous headaches. My kidneys didn't act regularly. I used Doan's Kidney Pills, getting them at Steeves' Drug Store, and my health soon improved. I felt strong and my kidneys acted normally. Doan's helped me wonderfully. I seldom have need of a kidney remedy as Doan's Kidney Pills have about cured me."

B STREET

John Lorrain, 99 B street, says: "I was troubled a lot with my back. There was a steady pain in the small part and it was very weak and sore, and stiff at times, especially if I bent over or did any lifting. At times the kidney secretions were scanty and caused much annoyance. They were also highly colored. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me and I might say they have cured me, for it has been some time since I have had any trouble."

LINCOLN STREET

Mrs. R. Durkin, 34 Lincoln street, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have been used in my family for years. When my kidneys were out of order I had dull backaches and felt tired out, and my kidneys didn't act right at all. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they soon relieved the backache and other signs of kidney trouble. I have had no return symptoms of the complaint since."

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

Every Druggist Has Doan's, 60c a Box. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfg. Chemists, Buffalo, N. Y.

IN THE POLICE COURT

Woman Told Court Father Threatened to Kill Her—Other Cases

Charges that her father seized her by the throat and threatened to kill her were made this morning in the police court by Mrs. Frank E. Evarts, who preferred non-support charges against her husband. It was testified, however, that Evarts had recently been paying the stipend set by the court for his wife and two children.

The father of Mrs. Evarts refused to have her at his home any longer "keeping the house in an uproar." He denied using violence on her, stated that she had never paid him a single dollar since she was born, and charged that she destroyed crockery in fits of emotion.

Agent Richardson, of the Lowell Humane society, was sent for by the court, to arrange to care for the woman, whose husband has no place to take her.

Used Vile Language

Willis E. Whitely and Charles M. Welch drew suspended jail sentences, and James M. Vallely was placed in the care of the probation officer for six months, today in the police court when it was testified that they had been drunk and were using vile language in the public street, with women and children passing.

The officer who made the arrest stated that he had tried to calm the trio, who were making nuisances of themselves after having apparently procured and disposed of some Jamaica ginger. They would not be pacified, however, and so they were taken to the station house.

This is Whiteley's fourth offence within a year, and he was warned by Judge Enright that another lapse would mean the reformatory. Welch has been arrested once before for drunkenness, and consequently got two months in the house of correction, with a suspension. Welch didn't recall "saying anything out of the way," when questioned as to alleged filthy conversation.

Abused His Family

Peter St. George, charged with drunkenness, "wanted to lick his wife and kids" whenever he had been drinking liquor, it was testified in the police court today.

"Did he ever lick anyone outside of his own family?" questioned Judge Enright.

"No, he has made all kinds of threats, but has never touched anyone except his wife and children," answered the officer who made the arrest.

The case was continued, and St. George was held in $500 bonds. Judge Enright stated that he wished to look into the matter more thoroughly. "I think the man is insane from the use of liquor," he declared.

Dry Goods at Police Station

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in capturing the merchandise, going to Lawrence and finding the goods being loaded into a truck headed for Haverhill. He ordered the chauffeur to drive to Lowell instead.

Banas, who resides on Lakeview avenue, tells the following story of events leading up to the seizure. He says that on December 14 he sold his store to Bardzek and Urbanek for $13,000, receiving $8,000 in cash and accepting a mortgage on the stock of the establishment for the remainder. The agreement, he states, provided that he get $500 January 1, $1,000 February 1, and that the entire amount should be paid on or before March 11.

Bardzek and his partner, declares Banas, ran the business in the usual manner for a time, but held a sale during the last week in January for the stated purpose of securing money to pay the $1,000 due on the first day of February. They had given him $500 on January 1st, according to agreement.

Even after the sale, avers Banas, there remained from eight to ten thousand dollars' worth of merchandise in the store.

On Monday of this week Banas visited the store and found it locked. Going upstairs, where the partners lived, he found they were not at home. He then went down to the shop, and made the discovery that not more than $100 worth of goods were there. Even the cash register had been taken.

When Bardzek and Urbanek came in, the complainant says he inquired as to what had become of the several thousands of dollars worth of missing articles. According to his story, they replied that these had been sold. Banas states that he knew so large a quantity of dry goods could not have been disposed of within three days. He had been at the establishment that length of time ago and had found all the merchandise on hand.

He says that the two men then proposed to him that he discharge the mortgage without receiving any further compensation. Then, said they, they would open up business again. Banas declined to hear this proposal, and soon after consulted a lawyer and visited police headquarters, with the result that the department immediately started work on the case.

It was learned that the officer on the beat had seen two trucks loading in front of the store on Friday and Saturday nights. He took the name and number on each machine. Sergeant Dwyer then took up the case, and going to the store in company with two other officers found it, as he states, "closed out." He traced the vanished goods to Lawrence, and found them being loaded into a truck at the White Eagle Wholesale Grocery company on Medford street. He was told that the truck was taking the goods back to Lowell, but inquiries made of the chauffeur elicited the interesting information that the latter had been hired to drive to Haverhill. The proprietor of the place, states Sergeant Dwyer, claimed that he knew nothing of the goods, and merely wanted to get them out of the establishment. Sergeant Dwyer assisted him in this desire by having the merchandise sent direct to police headquarters, where Banas, together with his wife, called this morning and identified it. It is believed that some goods remain to be recovered, but the police are hot on the trail of those articles.

Bardzek and Urbanek have not been located as yet, but it is expected that they will be found shortly.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed of personal property given by John Bardzik and Frank Urbanek, both of Lowell, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, to Emil Banas, of Tewksbury, in said County, dated Dec. 14, 1920, and recorded in the Records of Mortgages of Personal Property in the Clerk's Office of the City of Lowell, Book 98, Page 15, will be sold at public auction for breach of the conditions of said mortgage on the premises where the personal property is now located—said premises being numbered 172 to 174 Lakeview avenue, in said Lowell, on Tuesday, the fifteenth day of February, A. D., 1921, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, the following goods and chattels, namely, all the dry goods, boots, shoes, small wares, toys, clothing, dresses and merchandise, including all stock, fixtures and personal property connected with the business conducted by said John Bardzik and Frank Urbanek and located in store at No. 172 to 174 Lakeview avenue, in said Lowell. Being the same conveyed to said John Bardzik and Frank Urbanek by Emil Banas by bill-of-sale dated Dec. 14, 1920.

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500 left, including 50 received today, large fur collars. With labor cost the same, not in a long time will you buy coats like these, selling to $55.00.

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We have 300 too many, so we have put all the fine dresses—no old dresses in the lot—Serges, Satins and Tricotines, selling to $39.75

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PETTICOATS, all taffeta and satin; $6.00 value **$3.98**

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NEW SPRING TIE-BACK SWEATERS, that sold to $5.00. Choice...... **$2.39**

TUXEDO, in all the newest shades, in one lot. Choice................ **$5.00**

HOSE

39c COTTON HOSE—Special for Friday and Saturday, 4 Pair for **$1.00**

Give Away Prices In Our Basement

$2.50 COTTON TAFFETA PETTICOATS.......... **$2**

$3.00 BREAKFAST SETS **$1.95**

$2.00 KIMONOS, At **$1.29**

$7.00 to $9.75 SERGE and PLAID SKIRTS, At **$5.49**

$6.50 BATH ROBES, At **$3.50**

$2 ELASTIC BELT APRONS **$1.19**

86 SERGE DRESSES, selling to $19.75. Choice **$9**

114 WARM WINTER COATS, sold to $27.50, At **$12.50**

Selling Booze to Soldiers

Continued

at Lowell," said the judge, "and sell them this vile stuff."

Officer Kivlan and the other members of the liquor squad raided an attic occupied by Rammum yesterday. They found two stills, nearly two gallons of moonshine, a keg containing 20 gallons of molasses and 150 gallons of mash. Illegally keeping liquor with intent to sell the same was the charge in Rammum's case.

Freitas, also an attic manufacturer, had his still in operation when the officers arrived with a search warrant. Two bottles half filled with "white lightning" were exhibited in court as part of the haul. These gave forth an aroma which permeated the courtroom with the savor of the forbidden thing. Kivlan testified that Freitas had told him these two bottles contained nothing but water.

Twenty gallons of mash were also unveiled at Freitas' attic, which is located on Hanover street.

The defendant told the court that he had set up his booze plant only that morning, intending merely to make enough liquor to satisfy his own cravings.

Officer Kivlan met this assertion by testifying that two other men were in the room at the time of the raid, and added that Freitas said he was making the hooch for himself and his friends.

Rushes Order for New Plant

Continued

mayor, city solicitor and members of the board of health were present and discussed the question of granting a license. He said that the board of health is willing to co-operate with the council in acting on the matter. He said that it had been decided, in view of the uncertainty of the law on the subject, to have a license granted by both the board and the council. He said that a prompt hearing was desirable to expedite matters. He asserted that the board of health is willing to take a prompt inspection of the premises.

"As the members of the council will have to pass on the matter, wouldn't it be wise that we should make an inspection also?" asked Commissioner Marchand.

"I think it would," answered the mayor.

The order for a joint inspection tomorrow was then promptly passed.

An order was also passed giving the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway company permission to erect and maintain during the cold weather a telephone booth at the corner of East Merrimack and Prescott streets. The city solicitor was instructed to draw an agreement to be entered into by the city and the street railway company that will properly protect the interests of the city.

ATTACHMENTS FILED

The following attachments have been filed at the local registry of deeds office since the last were published: Emile A. Chagnon, Nashua, N. H., vs. James Skerdoeres, alias, Lowell, action of contract, $600; Charles Varsanes, Lowell, vs. Michael and [illegible], Lowell, action of contract, $[illegible]; William H. Bamford, Lowell, vs. James F. Boyle, Lowell, [illegible] $[illegible].

American-made automobiles are exported to 51 different countries.

DIES AS RESULT OF AUTO ACCIDENT

Frank Spinelli, aged 22 years and residing with his parents at 253 Quincy street, Dorchester, died late last night at St. John's hospital in this city as a result of injuries he received in an automobile accident, which occurred at Wilmington in the afternoon. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons in Market street, where this noon it was identified by the parents of the young man.

As far as could be learned, the accident occurred at a spot on the state highway in Wilmington near the entrance to Mulligan's grove and the machine which carried Spinelli and a companion, whose name could not be learned, crashed into a telegraph pole. The automobile was wrecked and Spinelli was seriously injured. He was rushed to St. John's hospital in another automobile. He passed away at about midnight.

Spinelli's companion, it is said, escaped without injuries and shortly after the accident he attempted to destroy the registration plates on the wrecked car. He objected to his companion being taken to a hospital, it is also stated, but later went to the hospital himself and gave the name of his companion as Michael Keylon of 41 Stanhope street, Boston. Spinelli had given his right name and address to the hospital authorities and this morning Undertaker O'Donnell got in touch with the Spinelli people who later identified the body as that of their son.

Mr. and Mrs. Spinelli stated that their son did not own a machine. They said he left their home at 9 o'clock yesterday morning and nothing was heard from him until this morning, when they were informed of the fatal accident. The death machine bore the registration, 131392.

The body of the unfortunate young man is at O'Donnell's, where it will be viewed later by Medical Examiner T. B. Smith, who spent the day in Cambridge, testifying before the grand jury in the Tallen murder case.

Spinelli leaves his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Spinelli; five brothers, Anthony, Michael, John, Peter and Joseph, and three sisters, Louise, Josephine and Anna, all of Dorchester.

REAGAN BEFORE SUPREME COURT

City Solicitor William D. Reagan is in Boston today appearing before the supreme court in the case of Fred H. Rourke vs. Frank Hanchett. The suit involved the collection of back taxes alleged to be due the city. The case [illegible]

Forty-five hundred different models of motor cars have been manufactured since 1905.

HIRING TINSMITH AT CAMP DEVENS

The matter of investigating by the local post of the American Legion of the employment at Camp Devens by the utilities department of a man who was hired after he had been in this country only three days, came to a head this morning when Adjt. Robert Rutledge of the post received a communication from Brig.-Gen. Mark L. Hersey, commanding officer at the camp.

When the local officials of the legion learned of the employment at Camp Devens by the army authorities of a tinsmith who had been in this country only a few days and is not a citizen here, they started an investigation. The officers of the post did not think it proper that such a man should be given employment when there are so many ex-service men in this city out of work.

Adjt. Robert Rutledge immediately communicated with the commanding officer of the utilities department at the camp requesting an explanation. The reply received stated that the man had been employed after he had been in this country only a few days and that he was working satisfactorily. It also said that the commanding officer thought he was the only man available for the place at the time.

Not being satisfied with this answer, Adjt. Rutledge then wrote to General Hersey at the camp, enclosing previous communications with the utilities department.

Following is the reply received from Brig. Gen. Hersey:

Hq. U.S.A. Cantonment, Camp Devens, Mass., Jan. 31, 1921.
To Lowell Post American Legion:

1. It is a matter of record that in trying to fill this place we did communicate with the American Legion in Boston without success.

2. Mr. ———, while not an American soldier, saw four years' service in the British army in the last war, three of which were in France, and he is competent and courteous in the position he holds. I am sure the fact that we are dealing with a man who is not a slacker will appeal to you as it does to me.

3. We are glad to back you in any way, caring for our soldiers and those who have been soldiers, which is our life work, and in this way our endeavors will always work together.

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BAY STATE MILLS ON FULL TIME

The Bay State Cotton Corp., which resumed operations last Monday after being shut down a month, will operate full time this week. The program for next week is not yet known.

The Tremont & Suffolk, which also re-opened its doors last Monday after a shutdown of one week, is operating some of its departments full time, while other departments shut down last night for the remainder of the week.

At the Saco-Lowell shops all departments are running full time, but the overtime work, which had been going on for several months, has practically been stopped. A number of men were laid off last Saturday, but it is understood that others were hired this week to fill the vacancies. This idea of letting men go and hiring others, it is said, is in accord with the weeding out process started at the plant some time ago.

The big plant of the Gillespie Mfg. Co. in Middlesex street, which shut down last November, is still idle. It was stated at the office of the company today that the officials have hopes that operations will be resumed in a month or six weeks. In normal times the company employes between 600 and 800 hands.

LOCAL LEGION TO PLAY HAVERHILL

The regular Legion basketball five will travel to Haverhill tomorrow night to play the Haverhill Legion quintet. These two teams have not met before and it is expected that the Haverhill players will stage a return game in this city in the future.

Plans are fast taking shape for an extensive tour by the Legion team which will take it through many of the cities and towns of New Hampshire. The team will travel from city to city, making considerable more than expenses, it is expected. Among the places the team will most likely visit are Dover, Laconia, Nashua, Concord, Stanford, Rochester, Tilton and Keene, N. H., and Woodsville, Vt. The Laconia Legion basketball team has established a record of 15 straight wins and is contesting for the state championship of New Hampshire.

IS STILL ASLEEP IN THE HOSPITAL

Mrs. Hannah Robertson, of 476 Merrimack street, who fell into a deep slumber over two weeks ago and is a patient in St. John's hospital suffering from sleeping sickness was reported in an unchanged condition today. Her physician, Daniel J. Ellison, stated that her temperature has fallen slightly, and that she is taking nourishment and is as well as could be expected. She is being given eggs, milk and broth. It is still difficult to awaken her for the purpose of feeding her. It is stated that she is conscious of her surroundings when she is awakened and is free from delusions.

DUBLIN MAGISTRATE KILLED—SON WOUNDED

DUBLIN, Feb. 3.—Dublin Castle reports that yesterday morning, near Dundrum, county Wicklow, Magistrate Robert Dixon was shot dead, and his son James seriously wounded while resisting armed men who demanded money from them.

The submarine cable from Burtonport to Arranmore island, county Donegal, was cut and the telegraph wires in the Dunfanaghy district were severed six times in January.

Mails for Dublin Castle daily are dropped within the grounds of the castle by airplanes.

The death sentence imposed on Joseph Murphy, convicted by a court martial of having led an attack in Cork October 8, against the military, has been commuted to life imprisonment.

At general headquarters, it was said that although there was convincing evidence of the guilt of Murphy, it was considered an act of mercy to commute the sentence in view of the anxiety through which the prisoner had passed during repeated postponement of his execution. Four dates had been set for his execution.

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HIGHER TAX RATE PREDICTED

The prediction made by City Auditor Hennessy that unless the estimates are radically reduced, the tax rate for this year will be over $36, will spread a degree of alarm among the property owners of the city. Last year the valuation of property throughout the city was advanced from 15 to 25 per cent. and the tax rate was fixed at $27.20 per thousand. To make any such advance as Mr. Hennessy thinks may be necessary would be an outrage upon the tax payers of Lowell. Not only would it affect the real estate owners but also those who pay rent for the reason that any material increase in the tax rate will result in higher rents.

At the present time the tax rate is above the average for the cities of the state and to increase it even by one or two dollars would be considered a piece of extravagance that would call for a prompt remedy.

It is a fact that our present city government has been rather wasteful, that large amounts of money have been spent without showing any adequate results so that it is up to the people of Lowell to look into the affairs of their city government with a view to securing better results for the money expended. We do not believe that this can be done under the present system of government. A new charter, it seems to us, offers the only hope of retrenchment and thoroughly economic government. The charter problem soon to come before the people will have an added interest in view of the prospect of higher taxes as announced by the city auditor.

THE WAVE OF CRIME

In reference of the wave of crime, the robberies and hold-ups so common over this country, it does not seem that these outrages are due to the business depression. It is conceivable that men who have been without work for a long time and who can procure neither money nor credit might develop into dangerous characters and be tempted to resort to highway robbery or hold-ups such as have been reported in this city during the past few weeks.

The present business depression is not to be compared to that of 1903 or 1896 in the general paralysis of all kinds of industry. At present some industries are obliged to curtail, but few are entirely idle and none of them has any lack of faith in the future. The cause of the depression is well known and it is to be expected that falling prices will seriously disturb business; but the effect is negligible compared to what has happened in other countries.

Of all the leading countries engaged in the war, the United States has suffered least from inflation and the reverse process of deflation of the currency.

From the start of the world war in 1914 the price wave rose gradually in the United States, until in 1918 it had doubled the prices prevailing in 1914. From the spring of 1919 till that of 1920, prices took another upward turn, reaching a point at which they were one and a half times higher than in 1914. Then came the decline to a point that still leaves the prices double what they were when the Germans started for Paris.

It is remarkable that the price wave in England moved almost parallel to that in this country, but kept about 15 per cent higher. Prices in Japan crept along with about the same proportion of increase as in the United States, reaching the highest point early in 1920 and then taking a sudden drop that cut off nearly all the increase of the previous year.

But as for France and Italy, the upward bound of prices was more than double that of the United States on account of the greater inflation of the currency. In 1918 prices had increased to three and a half times the pre-war level and in 1920 four and a half times in France and in Italy nearly six times the pre-war level. At present, both in Italy and France, prices are coming down with a crash so that business conditions in both countries at the present time must be terrific.

But if in these countries, backed by loans and the friendly relations of the allies, such conditions prevail, how is it with Austria, Poland, Serbia, and the other countries ravaged by the war? Already Austria is in a state of collapse because what remains of the original empire was cut off from all the resources by which a nation can live, and left without coal or iron mines and without industries, so that the people have reached a point at which they are obliged to cast themselves upon the sympathy and charity of the world or else starve to death.

Thus we see, that if we look beyond our own country, we shall find that there is not perhaps in the entire world a nation so well off as we are right here in the United States. Some people may have an idea that things are not right because some are idle and others working. Let it be remembered that the industries have a hard time trying to keep running and avoid bankruptcy. Many of them laid in supplies at high prices and have now to use them for products to be sold at a greatly reduced price. Thus a heavy loss is ... They had their harvest during ... and should not grumble now if they have to give up a part of their profits. The wage earners who saved their earnings during the war should have enough to tide them over this period of curtailment without difficulty but as for those who are without money or credit they should be provided for by the city.

There are ... unemployed who should ... prompt attention of employers and our city officials. They are the men who have families of small children dependent upon them, and the service men who risked their lives overseas under the colors. None of these people should be allowed to suffer as a result of the business depression; and we believe that any such case brought to the attention of the mayor or the proper authorities will be generously considered.

There is, therefore, no excuse for men getting desperate and going out to plunder, rob and kill. But the men who do this are not often the ones who are in want, nor the ones who are in search of work. There is some kind of bad spirit abroad which prompts men to go out and rob their fellowman. It seems that they have forgotten the commandments, "Thou shalt not steal," "Thou shalt not kill." Possibly some of them may never have been swayed by such precepts; but may have been influenced instead by the doctrine of the socialist that the capitalists have extorted their wealth unjustly from the people and that it is no harm to take some of it away from them. That is the gospel of the Bolsheviki in Russia who have plundered everybody supposed to have accumulated any money in their crusade against the Bourgeoisie.

In this country there is no justification for the application of such unjust or primitive methods. Here we have equal opportunity for all and success is but the measure of the skill and energy applied in pursuance of a worthy aim. No, despite the slight business depression and the hardships it may bring to large numbers of our people, there is no excuse for the existence of the hold-up man, the burglar, the bandit or the murderer.

DOLLAR DAY

Lowell is to have a Dollar Day, one that will mean much both for the merchants and the people. This feature has worked well in other cities and under the direction of the local merchants and the chamber of commerce, its success here is assured in advance. It should bring as many people to Lowell from the surrounding towns as come here on circus day. The stores intend to do their utmost in the line of bargains so that there will be inducements for everybody to get down town and share in the good things offered. One of the motives of Dollar Day is to impress the people with the extent to which prices in various lines of goods have been reduced, and to demonstrate the fact that Lowell stores can give as much for a dollar or any given amount as those of any other city in the United States.

REPLACING VANISHED FORESTS

In order to aid in preventing the destruction of forests and the supply of young trees suitable for the manufacture of wood pulp, the American Forestry association asked congress for an appropriation of $1,000,000; but the allowance granted is only same as last year, $125,000. This sum is wholly inadequate and the work to be undertaken is very important. It is to be hoped that congress will reconsider its action on this matter and grant the moderate amount asked for in order that at least a good beginning can be made in the work of reforestation with a view to ultimately overcoming the present lumber shortage, the shortage in wood pulp and the consequent high price of paper.

Meantime whether congress helps or not, the duty of the people is plain in preventing forest fires and planting trees wherever possible.

A Pittsfield judge is to send all Sunday moonshine drinkers to jail, but the other days of the week they will be unhampered to follow the suicide route they have chosen.

Suppose we all accept the chamber of commerce's estimate that Lowell has 120,000 population—it is so much easier to remember than 112,-552.

The news comes that the state prison population is declining. We are not sure that some of this is not due to fewer people who ought to be there not arriving.

Dean Johnson, of New York university, wants people to burn their liberty bonds as a means of making prices drop. Some people burned the proceeds of the sale of theirs long ago.

A woman's man is usually of the kind that men feel like putting manacles on and casting into outer darkness.

It is reported that there is no interest in the election of a constable for North Chelmsford. Is this another one of the effects of the hold-up wave?

"Used Gasoline to Start Fire," a Sun headline, and only two more words, "fatal result," are necessary to tell the complete story.

The 4th of March comes on Friday this year, and we half expected some such calamity when we heard of Harding's election.

The city of Methuen, a year old and now a town again, might ask: "If I was so soon to be done for what was I begun for?"

With a mation in the high school, why not now a hall to assist in the ... of the powder puffs?

... in Lowell.

The Debs sentence remains on the debit side of his ledger, thanks to the president's refusal to reprieve.

The Sun not only shines for all, but it does things right along, as a matter of course, that are worth doing.

...

Lawrence, with a live woman candidate for the school committee, is not such a "little" town after all.

SEEN AND HEARD

What has become of the old-fashioned lantern folks used to carry when they went out at night?

The London expert who can hypnotize lobsters probably learned the game in the music halls.

Don't harbor a grudge. Have it out with whoever your grudge has to do with and let it go at that.

Wellesley students are to have a "sneezing room." Remember the "swearing room" in one of Charley Hoyt's farces?

The announcement that an airship line is to carry passengers at so much a pound will be followed by an epidemic of puns about "flying aweigh" and the like.

Where One Learns

Several guests at a luncheon, years ago, were in heated discussion over a painting that adorned the wall. Apparently none of them knew its meaning, although it represented a scene in the mythology of Greece. Bored by the conversation, one of them turned to a waiter and insolently demanded to know the picture's meaning. To his astonishment, the waiter gave it immediately. "In what school have you studied," asked the guest. "In many schools, sir," replied the humble waiter, "but the school in which I learned most was the school of adversity. Books only have been my friends." Ten years later, all France rang with the fame of the greatest writer of his age, Jean Jacques Rousseau.

The Sluggard

'Tis the voice of a sluggard; I heard him complain,
"You have waked me too soon; I must slumber again";
As the door on its hinges, so he in his bed
Turns his sides, and his shoulders, and his heavy head.
"A little more sleep, and a little more slumber";
Thus he wastes half his days, and his hours without number;
And when he gets up, he sits folding his hands
Or walks about saunt'ring, or trifling he stands.

I passed by his garden, and saw the wild brier,
The thorn and the thistle grow broader and higher;
The clothes that hang on him are turning to rags;
And his money still wastes till he starves or he begs.

I made him a visit, still hoping to find
That he took better care for improving his mind;
He told me his dreams, talked of eating and drinking,
But he scarce reads his Bible, and never loved thinking.

Said I then to my heart, "Here's a lesson for me;
That man's but a picture of what I might be;
But thanks to my friends for their care in my breeding,
Who taught me betimes to love working and reading."

—ISAAC WATTS.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

Meeting a local contractor recently I asked him if he found his men affected by the sight of so many other men idle and asking for work.

"Oh, yes, indeed!" he replied, "it has made a marked change among my men. I find labor much more efficient and the men are more careful in every way about their work. Most of them are doing a good day's work and their pay remains the same."

"Do you anticipate a cut in wages in the near future?"

"No, while my men give me a decent day's work, I'll give them a decent day's pay. Of course, I shall have to weed out the men who kill time and don't want to do a decent day's work."

Later I walked into a department store and met the manager. "How's business?" I asked.

"Fairly good," said he. "Before spring I believe business will start picking up and we shall have a prosperous year. Prices are already gradually coming down to normal, and we get out goods more promptly from the factories. The worst of the business depression, I believe, has passed. People are buying now because prices are getting down where they can buy. We have no reason to complain." This man was something of a gloom chaser.

Next I sauntered into a restaurant. "How's business?" I asked.

"Well, I don't think folks are as hungry as they used to be during the war," replied the manager. "Besides, during the war, we practiced economy to a great extent. When it was possible to use a substitute we did so. Now the war is over and you can't do that. The public wants better service, and better food and they should have both. I am doing my utmost to give the people the best value possible for the prices they pay. Help is becoming more accommodating and everything is getting better," he concluded.

The interests of Harold L. Chalifoux, elected Wednesday noon president of the Lowell chamber of commerce, are entirely in Lowell. He is a Lowell boy and received his early education in the public schools in this city. He attended Harvard college and graduated from that institution in 1909. For many years Mr. Chalifoux has managed a business in this city, his large department store being formerly in the Central block. Seven years ago next month the department store under the name of the J. L. Chalifoux company moved from the Central block to its present location at the corner of Central and Merrimack streets. The name of the firm was later changed to "The Chalifoux company," under which name it does business at present.

Mr. Chalifoux has been very active as a member of the chamber of commerce during the past year. He was chairman of the community advertising committee formed to study the factors existing in Lowell which could be made the basis of a systematic campaign of municipal advertising. During the first year of the newly organized chamber but little work could be done along this line, but under the circumstances and the direction of Mr. Chalifoux several advertising projects of inestimable value to the city as a whole were completed. The new president is greatly interested in affairs concerning Lowell and still holds his legal residence here. He has a very beautiful and large summer home in Beverly.

At Sunday evening's meeting of the Holy Name society of St. Peter's church, Mr. Bernard D. Ward, the well known postal clerk, was re-elected recording secretary, a position which he has ... with much ability. Mr. Ward has an aptitude for things literary and his work along this line in the society and various parish affairs has brought him much praise. It is recalled that on the occasion of Hon. John F. Fitzgerald's presence before the society at a smoker, Mr. Ward was called upon to introduce him. He did it gracefully and eloquently and was complimented by Mr. Fitzgerald. Mr. Fitzgerald referred to him as a product of the land of Bobbie Burns and those who have read Mr. Ward's poetry about his homeland, cannot fail to be impressed with his love for his native land.

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BUILDING SITUATION

Boston City Councilman Says Interests of Public Ignored by Builders

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—When employers in the building trades get together to draw up an agreement, the public is ignored and the conferences are concerned only with "individual salvation," James B. Moriarty, president of the Boston city council, testified yesterday before the special committee of the Boston chamber of commerce investigating the building situation. He was testifying for the workers.

"Going into conference at such a time is like going to church for one purpose," he said.

Asked by James E. McConnell, chairman of the committee, whether going to church did not involve "a little more unselfish purpose," the witness replied:

"No, sir, I don't think so. I think everybody goes to church for a selfish purpose, to help himself."

Mr. Moriarty also asserted that the Building Trades Employers association of Boston had coerced individual employers to join it previous to expiration of the wage agreement with the building trades council last December 31.

The witness said he had no direct knowledge of coercive methods used by the employers' association except what he had learned from talks with individuals. From these conversations, he testified, he had gained the impression that contractors had been forced into the association by the threat that they would be locked out if they did not join to assist in the fight against the unions. He said that a legislative inquiry would be necessary "to arrive at the truth."

HARDING TO VISIT BOSTON

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Warren G. Harding, president-elect of the United States, will be the guest of honor at the dinner in celebration of the 35th anniversary of the Boston Press club. Mr. Harding verbally accepted the invitation extended to him by a member of the club who called upon him at his office in Marion, O., some weeks ago, and has also replied in similar vein to a formal invitation sent him by the president of the club.

The date of the dinner has not yet been determined, as it must necessarily depend upon a time when the then president can leave Washington.

As Mr. Harding does not care for elaborate functions, the dinner will be a comparatively modest affair. It will be for members of the Press club only and a few specially invited guests, at a place to be designated later.

The president, for he will be the president at the time of the dinner, is glad to come here as an honorary member of one of the oldest press clubs in the United States, and also as a compliment to Vice President Coolidge, who will also be a guest.

Most of the prominent men of Boston are members of the Press club, so that the dinner promises to bring together one of the most notable gatherings Boston has seen in a long time.

The club has never before had the honor of entertaining a president of the United States.

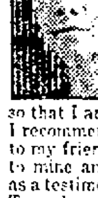
RUSSIAN GIRLS RELEASED

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—Corrella and Isabella Friede, Russian girls, who landed here Monday and were detained on suspicion of being soviet propagandists, were freed today. An immigration court of inquiry decided that the suspicions were unfounded. The girls gave their ages as 21 and 17, and their occupation as dancing.

SO WEAK SO NERVOUS

How Miserable This Woman Was Until She Took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Toomsboro, Ga.—"I suffered terribly with backache and headache all the time,



was so weak and nervous I didn't know what to do, and could not do my work. My trouble was deficient and irregular periods. I read in the papers what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had done for others and decided to give it a trial. I got good results from its use so that I am now able to do my work. I recommend your Vegetable Compound to my friends who have troubles similar to mine and you may use these facts as a testimonial."—Mrs. C. F. PHILLIPS, Toomsboro, Ga.

Weak, nervous women make unhappy homes, their condition irritates both husband and children. It has been said that nine-tenths of the nervous prostration, nervous despondency, "the blues," irritability and backache arise from some displacement or derangement of a woman's system. Mrs. Phillips' letter clearly shows that no other remedy is so successful in overcoming this condition as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Harriett W. Hamblett

20 Years With Harry Raynes

-:- *ANNOUNCES* -:-

That owing to the very generous co-operation, confidence and loyalty of her many friends and patrons, she has moved to new and more commodious quarters in the Wyman's Exchange Bldg., 9 Central St., Lowell, Mass., Rooms 206-208.

You are invited to attend the opening of the New Shoppe on Feb. 4-5, and view the smartest and most carefully selected line of high class (and of latest design) Jewelry, Pearls, Diamonds, Sterling Silverware, Watches and Clocks north of Boston.

She will, as heretofore, extend that personal service and courteous attention, and in addition has so arranged the interior of the New Shoppe that your comfort is assured while shopping and makes it real pleasure for you.

Wyman's Exchange Building

9 CENTRAL STREET ROOMS 206-208

DEATH WAS DUE TO GAS POISONING

"Death from accidental gas poisoning" was the finding of Medical Examiner Thomas B. Smith in the case of Mrs. Marie H. Cartier Caron, who was discovered lying unconscious late yesterday afternoon by her daughter, Miss Alice Caron, and died before assistance could be obtained. The accident occurred at the Caron apartment, Majestic Chambers, 445 Merrimack street. Mrs. Caron had evidently turned on a loose gas cock involuntarily, while preparing the evening meal in the kitchen, and had been overcome before realizing that gas was escaping. A partly open window failed to prevent the deadly action of the gas.

Mrs. Caron had lived here for more than a quarter of a century. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Willis Pelletier and Miss Alice Caron, both of this city, and two sons, Albert of Lowell and Jos. Caron of Wilmington. The body was removed to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Willis Pelletier, 803 Moody street, by Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

NEAR EAST FUND STILL GROWING

The fund for the relief of suffering in the Near East continues to receive additions in Lowell and other cities. The total received in this city up to date is $3,206.57. The latest list of contributors is as follows:

Previously reported	$3095.57
Miss N. J. Burnham	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Burnham	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Humphrey	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. L. Cosgrove	5.00
Miss Lucy Stevenson	5.00
Miss Louisa Stevenson	5.00
Mrs. Emma Stevenson	5.00
Dr. J. O'Brien	5.00
Mrs. S. Patenaude	2.00
Louis Sarre	1.00
Leon Sarre	1.00
Auguste Sarre	1.00
Dr. H. Laurin	2.00
J. N. Pepin	1.00
Mrs. J. H. Collins	1.00
Mrs. E. C. Bamette	1.00
Mrs. J. Holt	1.00
M. F. Cummings	1.00
Percy Beardsley	1.00
J. E. McQuaid	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Welcome	2.00
J. S. Campbell	1.00
Bon Marche Dry Goods Co.	25.00
Mrs. Needham	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Cochrane	2.00
John MacFadyen	1.00
Fred Martin	1.00
Mrs. Fred Martin	1.00
Edward Gallagher	1.00
Arthur Tiffany	1.00
James Wakefield	1.00
John Morgan	1.00
Fred O'Laughlin	1.00
John Maroney	1.00
David Sheehan	1.00
Jerry Sullivan	1.00
John Yehle	1.00
Mrs. C. A. Aldrich	1.00
Mrs. Hattie Duncan	1.00
C. P. Cummings	2.00
H. E. Hughes	1.00
Miss Gertrude Moran	1.00
John Wainwright	1.00
Mrs. John Wainwright	1.00
Total	$3206.57

California lemon growers are in Washington lobbying for a high tariff on Italian lemons.

CERTAIN RELIEF FROM BRONCHIAL ASTHMA

Simple Home Treatment Makes Breathing Easy

Just be wise you start the day tired, lifeless, worn-out from loss of rest and the difficult breathing of miserable Asthma—do not think you have to stay this way long.

Be strong and well, breathe clearly and easily again by using this simple treatment known as Oxidaze, the prescription of a Worcester, Mass., physician.

For any form of Asthma where the bronchial tubes are irritated, the breathing short and difficult, its healing, relieving action is really wonderful. Sufferers who can't breathe at night and who gasp for a good, clear breath will appreciate the relief and comfort Oxidaze gives.

Oxidaze is a tablet made from essential oils which, when the patient dissolves in the mouth, almost immediately soothes the irritation, clears out the choked up air passages and enables the sufferer to breathe easily and get a real comfortable night's sleep.

It is sold by Lowell Pharmacy, Liggett's and Green's Drug Store, leading druggists who agree to refund the full purchase price of the first package to any sufferer who does not obtain satisfactory relief. Asthmatic sufferers should give Oxidaze a trial. It is harmless and inexpensive.—Adv.

HEALTH BOARD SAYS COLDS THAT HANG ON ARE DANGEROUS

The United States Public Health Service has issued a warning in regard to colds that hang on. It is explained that these colds are often the beginning of serious and frequently fatal illness. Right living, good food and plenty of fresh air are elements which are absolutely necessary in the treatment of colds which hang on and in building up the strength and resisting power after the cold has begun to disappear. No better tonic food medicine can be found at such a time than Father John's Medicine, because it is made of pure and wholesome, nourishing food elements which strengthen and build up the system. It is of special importance to remember that Father John's Medicine does not contain any alcohol or narcotic drugs in any form whatever. For this reason it is a safe medicine to give to every member of the family.

It has been used successfully for more than sixty-five years. It is not a patent medicine but a doctor's prescription. Thousands of mothers in every section of the country keep it on hand constantly as their family medicine because they have proved by their own experience and by that of their friends that it is the safe, logical remedy to use for colds that hang on, for long-standing coughs and as a general tonic and body-builder.—Adv.

EIGHT OF FAMILY VICTIMS OF FIRE

RUTLAND, Vt., Feb. 2.—Two more children, Ada, 12, and Leona, 1, died yesterday as a result of burns suffered when the home of Henry Martel at Rochester, Vt., was burned Tuesday morning. This brings the total death list to eight, including all of the seven children of Mr. and Mrs. Martel and Mr. Martel's father, Louis Martel, 70.

Mrs. Martel was terribly burned and, coupled with the loss of all her children, it is not expected that she will recover.

FLORENCE CRITTENTON LEAGUE

The following report of Inah G. Lowell, welfare worker for the Florence Crittenton league gives the amount of work accomplished:

Office calls	117
Calls made	71
Girls placed	5
Missing girls found	1
Physicians consulted and hospital visits	9
Pastors consulted	1
Court cases	6
Investigations	5
Visits to theatres	6
Visits to dance halls	6
Visits to railroad station	3
Meetings attended and workers consulted	17
Talks given	1

AFTER LIQUOR SMUGGLERS

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—Frank D. Richardson, regional prohibition enforcement director, was on the way to Detroit today to supervise action to be taken by his agents against liquor smugglers who are getting whisky into the United States from Canada by airplane, boat and automobile.

Fifty Years Ago

It was the custom of our grandparents when anything was the matter with their stomach, liver or kidneys, to take a remedy composed of the right kind of roots and herbs, and by so doing lived to a ripe old age. It is also true that the Shakers, who have always depended upon the life-giving juices of leaves, roots and herbs, are long-lived people. The roots and herbs of which SEVEN BARKS is principally composed of were gathered by the Shakers for many, many years, then scientifically blended, and SEVEN BARKS has become famous as one of the most reliable remedies for Indigestion, Constipation, Liver, Kidney and Stomach disorders.

Dull pains in the back, often under the shoulder blades, poor digestion, heartburns or flatterings, sour risings, yellow skin, mean liver troubles, and you should take SEVEN BARKS; it will relieve you, as it will make the liver active, tone up the digestive organs and cause the bowels to act normally.

SEVEN BARKS is not a cure-all, but a very reliable remedy that will at once act on the liver, stomach and bowels, sets them to right, tones and strengthens the general health.

If you want to get the greatest efficiency out of your body, enjoy and prolong your life, take SEVEN BARKS. At druggists', 60 cents a bottle. Don't put it off; get it today.—Adv.

Parasol ants of Brazil march in single file, each with a piece of leaf over its body.

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Visit Lowell's Biggest, Busiest and Best Fish Department.

FRESH FISH RECEIVED DAILY

SMELTS, Lb.	25c	OPEN CLAMS, Qt.	40c
MACKEREL, Lb.	23c	Sliced WHITE-FISH, Lb.	15c
EASTERN HALIBUT, Lb.	35c	OYSTERS, Qt.	70c

Read OUR ADVERTISEMENT IN TOMORROW'S PAPERS Read

BON MARCHE BANQUET

General Manager E. J. Gilmore Addressed Employes' Mutual Benefit Association

"This business depression in the United States has about reached bottom," declared General Manager E. J. Gilmore, of the Bon Marche last evening at the banquet of the Bon Marche Employes' Mutual Benefit association, held on the third floor of the store. "Some merchandise may go lower," continued Mr. Gilmore, "but other goods have already begun to reascend. Experts in the gathering of statistics declare that high prices are gone for at least ten years."

The speaker warned against buying in large quantities which is, he said, one reason why prices soar. He stated that merchandise might advance in price temporarily, due to sudden purchasing on the part of western buyers.

"When prices go above normal," he declared, "they subsequently sag below normal. They follow the same rule that causes a carriage wheel, which has been jounced into the air by a rock in the road, to go below the level of the road when it comes down."

He told the employes of the local store that sales during one week this year had exceeded those of a like period last year by $8,000. "This," he said, "while in cities as near as Manchester they were frantically cutting prices to one-half, or below cost."

He stressed the value of courtesy to customers. "When any employe fails to see that a customer leaves the store pleased," he said, "that employe has injured the business of the concern."

About two hundred men and women members of the Bon Marche personnel were present at the banquet and the concert and dance which followed. The

ELBERT J. GILMORE

D. L. Page company acted as caterers for the affair, and provided a goodly spread. The Columbian orchestra added music to the culinary art as exhibited by the local victuallers.

The following menu was served: Fruit cocktail, bread sticks, tea rolls, olives, dressed celery, roast Vermont turkey, cranberry sauce, mashed potatoes, Hubbard squash, fruit salad, Sultana roll, sauce, cake, ice cream, and coffee.

The program of the concert was: Selection, Columbian orchestra, Matthew C. Ward, director; vocal solo, Mildred Desrochers; piano solo, Vina Garrity; remarks, E. J. Gilmore; vocal duet, Charles and Mabel Martin; reading, Jeanne Giroux; vocal solo, Pearl Fox; piano solo, Elizabeth Joy; assembly singing; vocal solo, Christina Laflamme; violin solo, Michael McInerney; reading, Frank Sullivan; vocal solo, Blanche Jodoin; Pianola selection, Leon French; cornet solo, Wilbur H. Roberts; vocal duet, Pearl Fox and Elizabeth Joy; assembly singing.

Philias I. Duval acted as chairman, and Morton M. Walker as toastmaster. The committee on arrangements comprised Frank Sullivan, chairman, Minnie Sullivan, Vena Clark, Elizabeth Hennessey, and Alfred King. The following officers of the association were among those present: Morton M. Walker, president; A. Joseph Pare, vice-president; Margaret Swift, secretary; Vena L. Clark, treasurer; Elizabeth Hennessey, collector; and Rita Nawn, Christina Laflamme, and Margarite Kimball, auditors.

The printed program and menu bore the following message: "We extend to all our sincere thanks for your talent. We appreciate your interest in our association. Your Committee." Also on the program there was the memory-jogger to "Remember our annual dance, Tuesday evening, April 12, 1921." This affair is scheduled to take place at Associate hall, and the E.M.B.A.s swear that they don't need to be reminded of it, as it is due to be one of the events of the season that will stand out.

The success of the evening was due in great measure to the untiring efforts of General Manager Gilmore, who first made possible the holding of the affair. Mr. Gilmore has consistently worked for the welfare of Bon Marche employes, and the enthusiasm with which he was received last night testified to their appreciation of his efforts.

Beauty Secret

KEEP the system clean. Eliminate the poisons. If nature will not do it for you, help nature with a natural medicine like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Take a teaspoonful for a few nights and watch the results. There will be a feeling of lightness, the eyes will be bright and sparkling, the lips red, the cheeks pink.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is the recognized, standard remedy for constipation, and it is constipation that gives women headaches, dullness, loss of appetite and sleep, bad breath and bad complexion. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will relieve you over night, and do it gently but thoroughly. It is just a combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin, so safe that it is given to infants. A sixty-cent bottle will last for months, and last year eight million bottles were bought at drug stores—in itself a guarantee of merit.

TRY IT FREE

Send me your name and address and I will send you a free trial bottle of my Syrup Pepsin. Address me Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 513 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. Everybody now and then needs a laxative, and it is well to know the best. Write me today.

The Moxie Candy Man

A Gentleman of Excellent Taste

His business is to carry to men, women and children the refreshing message of Moxie—pure, sparkling Moxie—the beverage which scientifically quenches thirst, tones up a jaded appetite, and tastes good all the year around.

The Moxie Candy Man is only one of the unique and original methods by which the Moxie Company sends out the Moxie Message of 100% purity and perfection.

Moxie does the rest—it tastes so good—and IS so good

Drink MOXIE 100%

This time it's our Men's Furnishing Department in the Basement which offers

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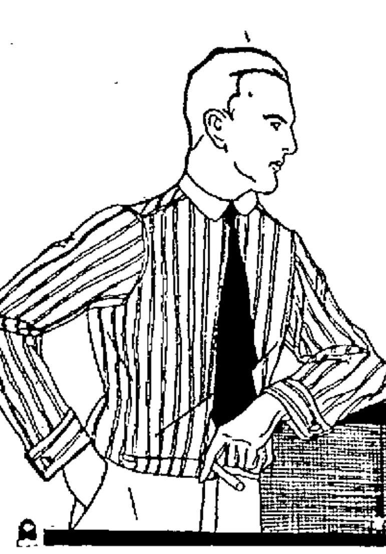

Light, medium and dark patterns. Smart styles to select from. Soft French cuffs. All sizes. Wonderfully fine shirts for

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THESE SHIRTS GO ON SALE FRIDAY MORNING

MEN'S FURNISHING DEPARTMENT, BASEMENT

Occasionally, for one reason or another, someone advertises merchandise at cost or at a loss. If the merchandise so advertised is the same as our regular stock, we will in every instance meet the price. Just bring the ad. to our store and we will duplicate the article if it is something we regularly carry in stock.

Chalifoux's Corner ESTABLISHED 1875

THE STORE OF ABSOLUTE SATISFACTION

TICKETS FOR KREISLER CONCERT
On Sale in Our Victrola Salon
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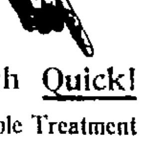

To Stop A Cough Quick!

Use a Double Treatment

Take HAYES' HEALING HONEY to heal and soothe the sore and tender tissues and lining membranes inside the throat.

Apply GROVE'S O-PEN-TRATE SALVE to chest and throat to allay fever, reduce inflammation and relieve congestion. The healing effect of HAYES' HEALING HONEY inside the throat combined with the action of GROVE'S O-PEN-TRATE SALVE through the pores of the skin soon opens the air passages, heals all inflammation and stops the cough.

Just ask your druggist for a bottle of HAYES' HEALING HONEY and you will find a box of GROVE'S O-PEN-TRATE SALVE enclosed therewith. The cost of the combined treatment is 35c. (Give it one trial.)

PRUSSIAN MINISTER TALKS ON REPARATIONS

LONDON, Feb. 3.—While offering determined objection to the allied reparation demands, Herr Severing, the Prussian minister of home affairs, declared in a speech at a meeting of majority socialists that Germany should not decline all the demands in an angry fit but should try to convince the allies that Germany was doing what she could to satisfy reparation requirements, says a despatch from Cologne today. He declared the present demands of the allies meant the economic strangulation of Germany.

CARDINAL FERRARI DEAD

MILAN, Feb. 3.—Cardinal Ferrari, archbishop of Milan died yesterday.

He was born in 1850 and created a Cardinal in 1894. He had long suffered from cancer. His physicians last year informed him that he had only a short time to live. He visited Rome and tendered his will to the pope and then went to Lourdes.

PRODUCTION CURTAILED

Labor Leaders Charged With Ordering Curtailment in Many Industries

(Special to The Sun)

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Charges that labor leaders have ordered curtailment of production in many lines of industry were made before the legislative committee on labor and industry yesterday, by Rep. Edward F. Willard, a former mayor of Chelsea.

Some of the curtailments cited by Rep. Willard were:—

Bricklayers, from 1800 or 2000 bricks per day to 600;

Suit pressers, from 125 suits a week to 35;

Lathers, from 18 bundles per day to eight.

Rep. Willard declared that he knew a member of the 26th division, a machinist, who was discharged from his position in a Hyde Park shop because he exceeded the output permitted by the union officials.

He advocated legislation to provide that no one shall "attempt to restrict or curtail or otherwise interfere with the amount of labor performed by any individual during a working day," and that "no person shall, himself or by his agent, coerce or compel a person into a written or oral agreement to join or not to join or become a member of a labor organization as a condition of his securing employment of continuing in the employment of any person." He said it was not intended to disrupt organized labor, but rather to help labor.

"Organized labor needs help," he said, "and when it needed legislation to better its conditions I worked to get such legislation through. Today it needs freedom from some of its leaders, for the leaders are at fault, as the majority of American workingmen stand ready to do an honest day's work for a fair day's pay."

He referred to the fight in congress over the Adamson bill and said organized labor has injured itself tremendously during the past three or four years, especially when it stood with a stopwatch over congress on that measure, threatening to stop every railroad in the country if its demands were not met. Rep. Willard described the scene as "disgraceful and unpatriotic."

William H. Hayward, secretary of the Master Builders' association in Boston, said the steady trend in the building industry during the past few years has been toward decreased production. "Only yesterday," he said, the master lathers received from the journeymen lathers a communication in which the latter announced that hereafter only eight bundles of lathes will be laid daily. The number had previously been 12.

Charles J. Hodsdon, legislative representative of the American Federation of Labor, declared the bill was intended as the first step in the complete disruption of organized labor. He said he had previously seen men who were anxious to aid labor, but their efforts were usually devoted to finding ways to place chains about the necks of laboring men and women and hanging them. He insisted that labor stands for a fair day's work for a fair day's pay.

Asked why it is then that labor opposes the pending bill, Mr. Hodsdon replied that the working of the measure might tie labor's hands in the case of a strike, because it might be held that the strike was an interference with production. Asked how he could account for the letter referred to Mr. Sayward, he replied that he would not believe that any such communication existed until he saw it.

The committee took the matter under advisement. HOTT.

Home-made Remedy Stops Coughs Quickly

The best cough medicine you ever used. A family supply easily and quickly made. Saves about $2.

You might be surprised to know that the best thing you can use for a severe cough, is a remedy which is easily prepared at home in just a few moments. It's cheap, but for prompt results it beats anything else you ever tried. Usually stops the ordinary cough or chest cold in 24 hours. Tastes pleasant, too—children like it—and it is pure and good.

Pour 2½ ounces of Pinex in a pint bottle; then fill it up with plain granulated sugar syrup. Or use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup, if desired. Thus you make a full pint—a family supply—but costing no more than a small bottle of ready-made cough syrup.

And as a cough medicine, there is really nothing better to be had at any price. It goes right to the spot and gives quick, lasting relief. It promptly heals the inflamed membranes that line the throat and air passages, stops the annoying throat tickle, loosens the phlegm, and soon your cough stops entirely. Splendid for bronchitis, croup, hoarseness and bronchial asthma.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of Norway pine extract, famous for its healing effect on the membranes.

To avoid disappointment ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

AMUSEMENT MAD AND DANCE CRAZY

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—"May God save the United States from becoming amusement mad and dance crazy," said Rev. Charles R. Brown of Yale university in an address here last night.

Using the disintegration of Rome as an example of the ultimate end of the race for pleasure, Dr. Brown warned Americans not to deviate from the principles laid down by the founders of the republic.

A Chilean mountain consists of almost a solid mass of high grade iron ore.

STOMACH GAVE HER YEARS OF TORTURE

Could Hardly Stand on Her Feet. Eats Anything Now

"For years I suffered with stomach trouble in its worst form. It was so bad at times I could hardly stand on my feet. I lost my appetite and what little I did eat formed gas in my stomach so bad that it bloated me all up, and caused me to suffer with shortness of breath and pains around my heart. I was completely worn out and felt bad all the time.

"I saw Milks Emulsion advertised in the daily papers and decided to try it, and I want to say that I commenced to improve before I finished the first bottle. My appetite has returned and I can now eat anything without any trouble afterward. My stomach trouble has entirely disappeared and I sleep like a log every night. In fact I feel as well as I ever did."—Mrs. O. J. Zecha, 535 [illegible] St., St. Paul, Minn.

The blessed relief which Milks Emulsion gives in stomach trouble, is only part of its good work. The benefit is both prompt and lasting. It costs nothing to try.

Milks Emulsion is a pleasant, nutritive food and a corrective medicine. It restores healthy, natural bowel action, doing away with [illegible] pills and physics. It promotes appetite and quickly puts the digestive organs in shape to assimilate food. It builds up flesh and strength and is a powerful aid in resisting and repairing the effects of wasting diseases.

This is the only solid emulsion made, and so palatable that it is eaten with a spoon like ice cream. Truly wonderful for weak, sickly children.

No matter how severe your case, you are urged to try Milks Emulsion under this guarantee. Take six bottles home with you, use it according to directions and if not satisfied with the results, your money will be promptly refunded. Price 75c and $1.50 per bottle. The Milks Emulsion Co., Terre Haute, Ind. Sold by Fred Howard and first class druggists.—Adv.

BRIGHTEN UP CORNERS

Request for $280,000 for Lights to End Spooning in Parks and Reservations

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—A request for $280,000 for lighting equipment to put an end to spooning in the parks and reservations under control of the Metropolitan district commission of this state, has been presented to the committee on Metropolitan affairs.

Shadowy dells are being turned into lovers' bowers at night because of lack of proper lighting facilities, the police report, and the committee urges that the appropriation be used to brighten up the corners as soon as the cost of installation is reduced.

PERUVIANS HONOR U. S. ATLANTIC FLEET

LIMA, Peru, Feb. 3.—This city and Callao, six miles westward, shared today in the entertainment arranged for the officers and crews of the United States Atlantic fleet.

The program included a reception by Admiral Henry B. Wilson on board his flagship Pennsylvania, games between Peruvian and United States sailors, and a reception at the United States embassy.

A large number of American sailors attended a bull fight here yesterday and saw Juan Belmonte, the famous Spanish toreador, and others in action. Admiral Wilson and staff occupied the presidential box. Belmonte was slightly injured in an encounter with an especially fierce bull, but secured another sword and killed the animal. He was given the ears as a recognition of his good work.

Honor Pacific Fleet

VALPARAISO, Chile, Feb. 3.—President Alessandri of Chile visited Admiral Rodman, commander of the United States Pacific fleet, on board the flagship New Mexico today. Later the president and the ministers of war and marine reviewed a parade of 1000 sailors from the fleet.

Valparaiso was crowded yesterday with American officers, marines and sailors, who participated in dances, excursions to points of interest and rifle shooting contests. During the day 600 enlisted men went to Santiago where they were given a luncheon by the Chilean committee, and went sight seeing about the capital.

Admiral Rodman and his staff went to Santiago last evening to attend a reception given by the diplomatic corps.

"Untold Misery"

Ischua, N. Y.—"I take pleasure in testifying to the great benefit I have derived from the use of Dr. Pierce's Anuric (anti-uric acid) Tablets. I suffered untold misery until I sent for Dr. Pierce's An-uric Tablets and have been in good health since taking them. I have taken a number of different kinds of kidney medicines before, but none of them did me any good. I would advise all sufferers from kidney trouble to take Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets."—MRS. E. J. TROWBRIDGE.

Send 10c to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for trial pkg.

DON'T SQUEEZE BLACKHEADS —DISSOLVE THEM

Squeezing and pinching out blackheads make the pores large and cause irritation, then, too, after they have become hard you cannot get all of them out. Blackheads are caused by accumulations of dust and dirt and secretions from the skin and there is only one safe and sure way and one that never fails to get rid of them—a simple way, too—that is to dissolve them. Just get from any drug store about two ounces of calonite powder, sprinkle a little on a hot, wet sponge, rub over the blackheads briskly for a few seconds—wash off and you'll be surprised to see that every blackhead has disappeared, and the skin will be left soft and the pores in their natural condition—anyone troubled with these unsightly blemishes should try this simple method.—Adv.

GOLDEN RULE

Plan Working Well in Cincinnati Plant

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 3.—Since employes of the A. Nash Co., a manufacturing concern of this city voted to take a voluntary vacation if necessary to give work to unemployed, there have been further developments in this business which is being run on the Golden Rule basis. Mr. Nash outlined yesterday these recent steps:

"Business men of Chattanooga, Tenn., have become so interested in results obtained by application of the Golden Rule to this business that they have subscribed stock to open a Tennessee company.

"Employes of the Cincinnati factory have bought into ownership to the extent of $50,000 since opportunity was given them in January.

"Employes are so much interested in the Golden Rule that they conducted a service in the Cincinnati People's church in January.

"Arrangements have been made to conduct classes in business management and economics for employes.

"Business has expanded so much since employes presented their petition proposing they take a vacation that a new shop has been opened.

"This growth has employed a large number of men out of work and with the reopening of activity for the spring the need of Nash employes stepping out to make room temporarily for others has passed."

HELD SILVER TEA

For Benefit of Starving People in China

Many-hued Chinese garments worn by the entertainers, together with features on the program which were aromatic with the savor of the east, lent novelty and charm to the silver tea held yesterday at the Highland Congregational church for the benefit of starving people of China.

"Jesus Loves Me" was sung in the Chinese tongue by Miss Greta McPherson, with Mrs. Harrison Ryan at the piano. The Misses Virginia Sargent, Yolande Dewel, Dorothy and Rachel Dobbins, who compose the church Mandolin club, played. The young ladies wore gay Chinese costumes, while Mrs. Arthur Davis, also in the garb of the great new republic, entertained with a tale of old China.

The Chinese famine was discussed by S. C. Chin and P. Y. Tang. W. C. Chang talked on America-Chinese diplomatic relations and Y. C. Wong told of education in China. These young men are now students at Lowell Textile. Another guest of honor was Mamie Chin, a Chinese-American lass, the daughter of a local laundry proprietor.

The sum of fifty dollars, the proceeds of the affair, will be given to Rev. Watts O. Pye, a missionary of Shansi Province, China.

Hostesses were: Mrs. Alfred Caswell, Mrs. Albert F. Grant, Mrs. J. H. Preston, and Mrs. Arthur Stewart. The invitations, which were in Chinese fashion, were the work of Mrs. J. W. Fraser and Mrs. W. E. Sargent. The decorations were by Mrs. Wm. Rawlinson, Mrs. Elmer Brennon, Mrs. Arthur Davis and Miss Marion Wilson.

The average elevation of Delaware is [illegible] feet above sea level, less than that of any other state.

The Scotch song, "Comin' Through the Rye," does not refer to a rye field, but to the river Rye.

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How vigorous and good natured we feel and how bright the world seems when the digestive organs are faithfully performing their vital duties. Yet how easily they become deranged, throwing too much of their burden on the liver or bowels. Then trouble begins. All sorts of distressing symptoms appear, some of them alarming in effect. There is danger in delay. If there is any distress whatever in the stomach, headache, backache, palpitation, dizziness, scant urine, constipation, hasten to the store and get a 50 cent bottle of that good-health remedy, "L. F." Atwood's Medicine. Endorsed by Maine people everywhere, and guaranteed by the "L. F." Medicine Co., Portland, Maine.

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He finally decided after years of ceaseless study, that no one can be free from rheumatism until the accumulated impurities, commonly called uric acid deposits, were dissolved in the joints and muscles and expelled from the body.

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He freely gave his discovery to others who took it, with what might be called marvelous success. After years of urging he decided to let sufferers everywhere know about his discovery through the newspapers. Dows, the Druggist and Fred Howard have been appointed agents for Allenrhu in this vicinity with the understanding that they will freely return the purchase money on the first two bottles to all who state they received no benefit.—Adv.

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Sporting News and Newsy Sports

BOB HART SCORES EIGHT AND WORCESTER WINS

WORCESTER, Feb. 3.—Worcester had a comparatively easy time with Hartford here last night and won, 10 to 5. Hart and Lewis were the stars. The score:

WORCESTER		HARTFORD
Higgins, 1r		1r, Davies
Hart, 2r		2r, Lewis
Donnelly, c		c, Evans
Muirhead, h		h, Morrison
Pence, g		g, Hueffner

Summary—Score: Worcester 10, Hartford 5. Rushes: Higgins 15, Davies 3. Stops: Pence 56, Hueffner 56. Goals: Hart 8, Higgins 2, Lewis 4, Davies 1. Foul: Hart. Referee: Graham.

Tigers Beat Gold Bugs

FALL RIVER, Feb. 3.—Fall River won over Providence here last night, 8 to 7, in an overtime game. For the first two periods the locals had the Gold Bugs' defense baffled, but the visitors came strong in the third and forced the game into overtime. Alexander scored the winning register. The score:

FALL RIVER		PROVIDENCE
Alexander, 1r		1r, K. Williams
Pierce, 2r		2r, Thompson
Jean, c		c, Brown
Hardy, h		h, Lyons
Purcell, g		g, Conley

Summary—Score: Fall River 8, Providence 7. Rushes: Alexander 13, Williams 5. Stops: Purcell 55, Conley 72. Goals: Alexander 4, Pierce 2, Hardy 2, Williams 3, Thompson 4. Fouls: Jean 2. Referee: Kilgara.

POLO LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct.
New Bedford	61	28	68.5
Fall River	57	37	58.4
Providence	49	37	57.0
Hartford	39	41	47.6
Worcester	34	51	40.0
Lowell	31	52	37.3

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS

Fall River 8, Providence 7. (Overtime.)

Worcester 10, Hartford 5.

GAMES TONIGHT

Lowell at Providence.

POLO NOTES

Providence plays here tomorrow night.

It is expected that Harry Thompson will be back in the Providence line-up when the team comes here tomorrow night. Fans hope so for with the tall fellow in there the Providence line-up is regarded as one of the best in the league. This would give the new Lowell club a severe test and if successful fans will prepare to "watch 'em climb."

After a few more games when the locals develop the team work that they are capable of displaying, local fans can look to see some of the best polo of the season.

Sox Quigley has already made a hit with the fans. He resembles Bob Griffith in action. He's a fast skater and a good blocker, a pretty nifty floor worker and a hard and accurate driver.

Red Williams, Bill Blount and Bill Cusick also made good with those at the last game, while of course Ferdie Harkins always goes big. At last fans are completely satisfied with the line-up and are anxious for the other good teams to visit Lowell.

YOUNG GARDNER KAYOS KENNEY

Many Lowell people attended the big benefit boxing show staged by the Boston lodge of Elks in Mechanics hall, Boston, last night. A record crowd turned out. More than 1000 women and a large delegation of wounded soldiers were at the ringside.

The program was one of great length and of rare excellence. There were several real fights and a number of exhibitions. Champions Leonard, Lynch and Britton, who were expected failed to appear. Johnny Wilson, middleweight champion, Mike O'Dowd, former middleweight title holder, Eddie Shevlin and many other notables were on hand to do their bit.

Lowell fans were particularly interested in Georgie Brooks (Young Gardner), who met K. O. Jimmy Kenney of Wakefield in a real bout. The Lowell lad was in great form and he completely outclassed the K. O. artist. He succeeded in applying the K. O. on Kenney in three rounds. Eddie Tremblay knocked out Jack Savage in seven rounds. Three round exhibitions were given by the following:

Mike O'Dowd vs. Pat McCarthy, Johnny Wilson vs. Tommy McFarland, Eddie Shevlin vs. Pat McCarthy, Eddie Mead vs. Willie Jackson, George Thompson vs. Frankie Daly, Tommy Gill vs. Shaver O'Brien, Augie Ratner vs Young Palmer, Johnny Murray vs. Charley Elkins.

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Providence vs. Lowell

Crescent Rink—Friday Night

THREE TEN-ROUND BOUTS ON TONIGHT'S CARD

Charley Spepard, who has been secured to box Larry Burns in one of the 10-round bouts at the Crescent A. A. tonight in place of Steve Kennedy, who withdrew, is well and favorably known in this city. He resided in Lowell for some time after coming from New York and performed satisfactorily at local clubs. Many feel that he will give Burns a better battle than Kennedy and declare that the substitution makes the card more attractive.

Johnny Young Avila of Lowell has the chance of his career tonight when he meets Billy Duffy of Everett in a 10-round event. If Avila makes good against the rugged Everett lad he will be kept busy with offers. Duffy has shown his wares here before and fans know just what he can do. They also have a good line on Avila and all predict that this number ought to be a hummer.

In the third 10-round event Barney Burke, a very satisfactory Lawrence boxer, and Steve Gustin, who gained considerable fame by his participation in the recent Olympic games, will perform. Gustin a short time ago boxed Al Diamond of Lowell and was given the decision over the speedy local boy after a whirlwind encounter. He injured Diamond's jaw in the bout as a result of his heavy hitting. In Burke he will tackle a good, hard-hitting and aggressive performer and the fur is expected to fly when they start over the 10-round journey.

DEMPSEY-WILLARD BOUT LABOR DAY

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Tex Rickard, boxing promoter, announced yesterday that the Dempsey-Willard fight which Dempsey announced in Los Angeles yesterday was off, has been postponed with the consent of both participants until Labor day, Sept. 5.

Rickard said he would stage a bout on that day between Willard and the winner of the Dempsey-Carpentier bout, under the terms of Willard's existing contract.

"For various reasons I have decided to postpone the Dempsey-Willard match until Labor day," said Rickard. "While both Dempsey and Willard are willing and eager to observe the original contract and meet in Madison Square garden on March 11, I have decided that the contest had better be staged in the open following the Dempsey-Carpentier match of July 2.

"The surprising demand for tickets for the Dempsey-Willard bout makes it clear that the garden would accommodate but a fraction of those who desire to see the bout. Willard has absolute confidence in his ability to regain the championship and has impressed many followers of boxing. A demand has been created that he be matched with the winner of the Dempsey-Carpentier bout.

"I shall, therefore, erect a large open-air arena for the international contest and stage a match between Willard and the winner of the Dempsey-Carpentier bout under the existing contract on Sept. 5. This change of date is made with the consent and approval of both Dempsey and Willard."

Rickard said he intends to erect an open arena in the vicinity of this city this spring and transfer his boxing organization to that site during the summer months. During the open-air period he will stage a series of championship bouts in all weight classes bringing together the titleholder and the most formidable contender in each of the recognized divisions.

The arena will seat at least 50,000 spectators and will permit the offering of large purses or a percentage of the gate receipts without handicap even under the recent ruling of the New York state boxing commission fixing a maximum charge of $15 a seat. While definite plans have not been completed for the proposed bouts it is expected that in addition to Carpentier, Dempsey and Willard, such champions as Leonard, Kilbane, Wilson and others will take part in contests.

Work on Arena

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Work on constructing the open air arena for the proposed bout between Jack Dempsey and Jess Willard on Labor day will be started in a month, Tex Rickard announced today.

Willard Satisfied

LAWRENCE, Kas., Feb. 3.—Postponement of the Dempsey-Willard fight from March 17 to Labor day is agreeable to him, Jess Willard said here today.

"It's news to me, but if Tex Rickard wants to postpone the bout until after the champion's match with Carpentier, I am willing," he said.

SALEM HIGH SCHOOL DEFEATS LOWELL

Its seventh game and its first defeat was the record set up yesterday afternoon by the Lowell high school basketball five when it opposed the quintet of the Salem high school in Salem. The score was 26 to 19. When Salem visited this city and played on strange floor they lost to the locals by one point. Although some of the Lowell players claim they were unjustly handicapped by penalties, they are not discouraged at losing the game, for it may make them fight harder in the two remaining games with Reading and Swampscott. The summary:

SALEM		LOWELL
Charrette, lf		rb, Davis
Brown, rf		lb, Hunt
Wentworth, c		c, Blackadder
Rosenthal, rb		lf, Ordway
Therrien, lb		rf, McAdams

Goals from the floor—Wentworth 6, Rosenthal 3, Therrien 2, Brown 2, Charrette, Ordway, Hunt. Goals from fouls—Brown 8, Ordway 6. Referee—McLaughlin.

DENIAL BY SOUTHWORTH

ARDMORE, Okla., Feb. 3.—Commenting on a despatch from Pittsburg that he had written a letter saying he was satisfied with a trade which transferred him to the Boston National league club, Billy Southworth today announced that his letter had been misconstrued and that he did not feel happy over having a winning team to join a losing aggregation.

ANOTHER "CY" MORGAN

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Cyril Morgan, latest of a long line of pitchers of that surname to take the nickname "Cy," was enrolled as a member of the Braves today. Morgan came up from Middleboro to sign his contract. He had a record of mowing down opponents in the Eastern league last year with 21 victories and seven defeats while pitching for the Springfield club.

LEW McCARTHY RECOVERS

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 3.—Lew McCarthy, Cardinal catcher, has entirely recovered from injuries received late last season when an automobile driven by Rabbit Maranville was in a smash-up at Cambridge, Mass., according to a letter accompanying McCarthy's signed contract, which was received by Manager Rickey today. McCarthy is wintering at Catawissa, Pa.

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CATHOLIC BOWLING LEAGUE CONTESTS

The Mathews of North Billerica took three points from the C.M.A.C. in the contests of the Catholic bowling league last night. The Y.M.C.I. got away with four points from the C.Y.M.L. by rolling up the high team total of 1537, including the following team singles: 504, 524, 509.

Those with singles of 100 or over were: Maloney 105, 105, 113; Ouimette 101, 101; Smith 136, 106; Hindle 105, Sullivan 101, Buckley 114, Brennan 111, O'Connell 104, Flynn 104, 107; Lutender 103, Schombom 111, 105; Delehanty 105; Bernier 104, 106, 111; Bellemare 116. The summary:

Mathews, North Billerica—Lutender 253, R. Collins 250, Reardon 257, Schombom 312, Delehanty 252. Total 1424.

C.M.A.C.—Desloges 274, Trudeau 271, Bernier 321, Bellemare 293, Geoffroy 260. Total 1419.

Y.M.C.I.—Mahoney 323, Ouimette 302, Smith 341, Bray 279, Hindle 292. Total 1537.

C.Y.M.L.—Sullivan 261, Buckley 256, Brennan 257, O'Connell 285, Flynn 308. Total 1467.

MEETING POSTPONED

The meeting of the Catholic Bowling league scheduled for this evening at Mathew hall has been postponed until Sunday afternoon. All those interested in the doings of the league should attend the meeting.

TO BLOCK ELOPEMENTS

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 3.—Elopements in Nebraska are to be made more difficult by terms of a bill offered in the state senate yesterday. It provides that applications for a marriage license must rest in the office of the county judge 15 days before being granted and parents or guardians must be notified by registered letter.

PAYSON DANA REFUSES LEGION'S CALL

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Payson Dana, state civil service commissioner, declined yesterday to appear before the state executive committee of the American Legion next Wednesday, in compliance with a request sent to him on Jan. 20, by the committee, "to show cause why he should not be expelled from the Legion in accordance with the resolution of the Middlesex county council of the legion on Jan. 8."

The reasons for Mr. Dana's refusal were stated in a letter to Leo A. Spillane, state adjutant of the legion, who immediately dictated a reply to Mr. Dana expressing regret that the commissioner would not appear before the committee and urging him to reconsider his decision. At the Legion headquarters last night it was intimated that the executive committee will take some action on the matter next Wednesday, whether Mr. Dana comes to the meeting or not.

Legion members throughout the state took exception to certain remarks Mr. Dana is reported to have made at the dinner of the Twentieth Century club on Jan. 5 concerning the rights of ex-service men under the rules of civil service. As a result, legion headquarters has received many resolutions from various posts demanding that action be taken by the executive committee to obtain a retraction from Mr. Dana or that he be expelled from the Legion.

The particular resolution which brought about the action of the executive committee was adopted by the Middlesex county council on Jan. 8, asking that Mr. Dana resign or retract his statements, or that he be expelled from the legion. The council represents approximately 30,000 members.

Mr. Dana in his letter declared that he had made no remarks derogatory of the American legion, branding as untrue and incorrect reports that he had, and stated that his remarks were confined solely to proposed legislation giving absolute preference under civil service to veterans who had received a passing mark in examinations.

BULL BREAKS LOOSE AND CAUSES PANIC

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 3.—Many persons were placed in great peril at Vera Cruz yesterday when a bull being brought to this city to provide opposition for noted bull fighters broke loose and caused a general panic when it charged into a crowd. Many bulls imported from Spain have arrived here, large throngs gathering to see them unloaded.

STOWAWAY FROM SAMOA

First to Reach Boston Begs to Remain After Feed of Doughnuts and Boston Baked Beans

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Doughnuts and Boston baked beans have cast a spell upon Felix Foster, 17, the first stowaway from Samoa to make this port. Since his initial meal of New England delicacies, he has begged hard between bites to remain and it is believed that he will be landed tomorrow.

Foster declares that his father is an American.

A hen cackles after laying an egg to denote pleasure.

SENDS ULTIMATUM TO TURK NATIONALISTS

PARIS, Feb. 3.—Admiral Du Mesnil, commanding the French naval forces in the near east, has sent an ultimatum to the Turkish nationalist government at Angora, demanding the immediate release of French soldiers captured by the nationalists in recent engagements, says a Constantinople despatch to the Matin. He has threatened to bombard localities occupied by nationalist forces if his demands are not met.

DEMAND FOR HELP SHOWS DECREASE

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—A slight increase in the number of positions filled during the past month was reported by G. Harry Dunderdale, superintendent of the state employment office today. The depression of previous months, however, continued, he said.

The demand for help from employers showed a decrease of 36 per cent, as compared with January, 1920, but an increase of 6 per cent, over the previous month.

The attendance at the office of applicants for employment, taken one day each week, showed an average of 2647, the largest of any month of which this is a record, according to the report.

During the month 2516 service men (1606 soldiers and 510 sailors) visited the office in search of employment, 101 of whom were given introduction cards to employers and 52 obtained employment.

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PETROLEUM POSSESSIONS

TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras, Feb. 3.—Negotiations for petroleum concessions have been begun by the Baroness of Strabolgi of London, who arrived in Honduras recently.

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TO CRUSH LABOR ORGANIZATIONS

Object of Railroads in Move to Abrogate Wage Agreements, Say Union Leaders

Organization Heads Declare There is No Justification for Wage Cuts

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—Arguments against abrogation of the national wage agreements between the railroads and their employes, already laid before President Wilson and members of congress by Brotherhood leaders, were presented today to the railroad labor board.

Since the request of W. W. Atterbury of the Pennsylvania lines for relief from these agreements was laid before the board Monday, representatives of the employes have been preparing a rebuttal to be presented by B. M. Jewell, president of the Railway Employes' department of the American Federation of Labor.

Members of the board indicated that a decision may be reached in executive session tomorrow. Mr. Atterbury declared the railroads need for economies he said could be put into effect was so urgent that many of the roads faced bankruptcy and there was no time to confer with employes on the abrogation of the agreements.

"We are convinced," said a telegram to President Wilson, signed by Mr. Jewell and six other organization leaders," that he (Mr. Atterbury) wishes to take advantage of the temporary unemployment and the unfortunate economic condition of the railroad workers, which the railroads themselves have intensified to crush our labor organizations.

"We shall show that there is no economic justification for wage reductions and that a reduction in the general cost of living is not dependent upon a reduction in our wages and that of other wage earners.

"There is no doubt that the temporary requirements of the railroads could be financed by the railroad bankers, were they as much interested in the maintenance of railroad credit as some of them evidently are in crushing labor organizations and reducing wages. If the public expects us to maintain the spirited letter of the law and to rely upon judicial settlement of differences in an orderly way, we must be protected against the ill-advised efforts of Mr. Atterbury and his associates who are violating the procedure established by law and because of an absurd and impossible obsession for destroying labor organizations are resorting to methods which are indefensible and opposed to the public welfare."

At the same time Mr. Atterbury supplemented his statement before the labor board Monday by a message to President Wilson showing the increase in number of employes and in payrolls during the period of government control.

"In the year of 1917," the message said, "before government operation was adopted, the railway employed 302,828 machinists, boilermakers, blacksmiths, electricians, airbrake men, car inspectors, car repairers, other skilled shop employes and machinists' helpers and apprentices. In 1920, when the number of locomotives and cars to be maintained was only slightly larger than in 1917, they had 443,774, an increase of 140,945 or 47 per cent. The total wages paid to these employes in 1917 was $317,870,549, while in 1920, after the advance in wages granted by the railroad labor board last July, their wages were running at the rate of approximately $800,000,000 a year, an increase over 1917 of 180 per cent.

"Another class of employes included in one of the national agreements is the clerks. In 1917, the railways employed 184,663 clerks, while in 1920 when business was normal, they were employing 238,693 clerks, an increase of 29 per cent. The total wages paid to clerks in 1917 was $189,009,506. After the wage award made by the railroad labor board, the wages of the clerks were running, as near as can be estimated, at the rate of $399,300,000 a year, an increase of 112 per cent."

Recent earthquakes in Chile caused mountains in the Andes range to sink an average of 160 feet.

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CHALIFOUX IN CHARGE

Rejoicing of Chamber of Commerce Members Over His Election as President

The chamber of commerce ship was sailing as usual on an unruffled sea today. The transfer of command from the hands of retiring President William N. Goodell to those of the newly elected president, Harold L. Chalifoux, was accomplished with scarcely a ripple appearing on the surface. For awhile Mr. Goodell is to remain a volunteer officer of the quarter deck to offer such assistance as he may to the new commander in becoming familiar with his duties.

HAROLD L. CHALIFOUX

There was much rejoicing over Mr. Chalifoux's election among the members of the chamber today. The election of a president had been more or less in the air so far as the knowledge of the general membership was concerned, and although Mr. Chalifoux's name had been mentioned in connection with the place, it was not definitely known that he would consent to assume the burden connected with the job.

The new president is well known in Lowell as head of the Chalifoux company. He lives in Boston. That is he sleeps there, but he spends a large part of his waking hours here, and he retains his citizenship in Lowell. He is 31 years old. He was born here and was educated in the city's public schools. He graduated from Harvard in the class of '02. He is one of the largest real estate owners and taxpayers in the city. He has been prominent in many moves for civic betterment.

LOWELL FIRE FIGHTER SUFFERED TEN YEARS

Simpson Says Tanlac Has Overcome His Troubles and He Never Expects to Be Without It Again

Perry Simpson, a popular [illegible] of the Lowell Fire department, residing at 2?? Methuen street, is now an ardent champion of the merits of Tanlac since it has proved so beneficial to him.

Mr. Simpson, who is [illegible] at the Central Station, has been on the fire department for [illegible] years and his efficiency and loyalty to duty is attested by his long term of service.

"Tanlac has put me in the best of health," says his statement, "with a gain of ten pounds in weight. I [illegible] feel the need of any more right now, but for emergency's sake I am going to keep it on hand. I can't speak too highly of the medicine for what it has done in my case.

For the past ten years, that is, until I got Tanlac, my system seemed in bad shape and I was getting badly run-down. My appetite went back on me and my food never tasted right. I got nervous and felt unfit all the time, and my energy all seemed to leave me. My blood was in bad condition somehow or other, as every fall and spring boils came on my neck and almost drove me mad. I was too nervous and miserable to ever sleep well. My kidneys also bothered me and often I had the worst kind of dizzy spells. No matter where I happened to be, when one of these dizzy spells struck me, I just had to stop.

"I lost weight and got to feeling so badly that one of my friends noticed it and urged me to try Tanlac. So I took his advice, got Tanlac, and the result is, I'm a new man. I eat like a wolf and feel as strong as a mule. In fact, I have not felt so well in ten years. I sleep like a log and my nerves are as steady as can be. I simply would not be without Tanlac for anything. It certainly is wonderful how quickly the right medicine will get a person to feeling right again."

Tanlac is sold in Lowell by Green's Drug Store, under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative, by Wright Drug Co., Billerica, Mass., and by the leading druggist in every town.—Adv.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

By Theatres' Own Press Agents.

THE STRAND

"The Misleading Lady" with Bert Lytell appearing in the leading role, opens a three days' engagement at the Strand beginning with matinee today. It's a picturization of the famous New York stage success of the same name, which had such a vogue during its run. The original play is by Charles Goddard and Paul Dickey. Lytell plays the role of Jack Craigen, the engineer just returned from a big construction job in Africa, and who comes to New York and meets a lovely society girl, Helen Steele. Craigen's friends know that he is an incorrigible woman-hater, and gets Helen, who is decidedly stage-struck, to make Craigen propose, as an example of her theatrical skill. It is done, but Helen does not enjoy her reward, a place as leading lady in a millionaire's "little theatre." She is snatched away, struggling, to Craigen's isolated hunting lodge in the Adirondacks, and there is treated as she has never been treated before. Craigen's brusque wooing first enrages her and later captivates her, so much so that when her dance, with murder in his brain, comes to claim her, she refuses him and chooses Craigen. The action of the story is briskness itself, with never a slow movement, and a rich humor pervades the whole story.

In one of those girlish roles she enacts so cleverly—this time a nameless child forced to flee from a cruel guardian because of constant abuse—Shirley Mason is coming in her latest Fox production, "Girl of My Heart." Miss Shirley has portrayed various types of girl characters since becoming a star, but it is said that in none has she given a more convincing performance than in her latest screen success. Raymond McKee plays opposite the star.

OPERA HOUSE

Miss Myra Murray, who is portraying the character of the captivating divorcee in "Daybreak," the week's presentation by the Lowell Players at the Opera House, looks and acts the part to perfection. Miss Murray is certainly "easy to look at" in her various gowns worn during the progress of the play. Her acting, too, is indeed praiseworthy. Miss Fields' dramatic power was never better demonstrated, while Milton Byron, Maxwell Driscoll and the rest are commendable. Next week's offering will be "Thelma," dramatized from Marie Corelli's famous novel. It promises to be one of the most gorgeous productions in local stock circles.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Mack Sennett's latest comedy sensation, "Down on the Farm," is the featured attraction for the last three days of the current week. This big comedy features such well known funmakers as Ben Turpin, Louisa Fazenda, Marie Prevost and numerous other Sennett favorites. It is a riot of fun from the time that the champion rooster of the farm puts the sun to work in the morning until to the very end. Though the plot is melodramatic and concerns the romance of a pretty maiden of rustic life, a menacing landlord and a harrassed and beautiful wife, it has been treated in such a new and different way that it is like seeing melodrama for the first time. "Love's Battle," starring Eileen Sedgwick and Joe Moore, is the second feature on the bill. It is a very entertaining story. A comedy, news and Burton Holmes travel pictures round out the bill.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Princess Wah-Letka, the Cherokee Indian mystic and occultist, who is at the B. F. Keith theatre this week, is proving one of the most striking attractions the theatre has had this season. Her answering of questions from the audience is accomplished without any claptrap or fuss or feathers. It is a most remarkable exhibition. On Friday afternoon, after the regular performance, all ladies who so desire, may remain at a reception given to the princess, where questions can be asked freely. The other features of this bill include: George M. Rosener, famous character actor; McGrath & Deeds, comedians; Dunham & O'Malley, chatterers; June and Irene Melva, xylophonists, and Clairmont Brothers, famous aerialists.

RIALTO THEATRE

A double feature attraction featuring Mary Miles Minter in a human interest story, "Eyes of the Heart," and Ruby DeRemer and Edmund Breese in "His Temporary Wife," is the offering of the Rialto theatre for the latter part of the week. It is a program heralded as one of the best of the present season and it should draw heavily for the week-end. Mary Miles Minter's story will have an instant appeal to all who see it for it applies the charming personality of that well known star in her best mood. "His Temporary Wife" is taken from Robert Ames Bennett's well known magazine story and portrays Miss DeRemer to the best advantage. The program also carries a Christie comedy, "Wedding Blues," and the Fox news. See it.

"ONE HOUR BEFORE DAWN"

H. B. Warner, the sterling screen star, will appear in "One Hour Before Dawn" at the Strand the first three days of next week. It is said to be the most baffling and thrilling mystery story ever screened. He is dared into being hypnotized and while in a trance is commanded to kill a man he hates at one hour before dawn. Morning discloses the murder and there commences the mystery. It's a story that will challenge your power of deduction. Plan to see it.

FRITZ KREISLER

Here are a few reports on recent appearances of Fritz Kreisler, who plays at our Strand theatre on Monday evening, Feb. 21. The concerts were reported in the latest issue of Musical America. The four correspondents said:

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Jan. 21.—Through the enterprise of George Jacob, added to the drawing power of the artist himself, Fritz Kreisler played to a record-breaking audience at the Grand Opera House on Jan. 1?. All available stage seats were taken as well as much standing room, and the audience gave the artist a veritable ovation. The program was largely made up of familiar works. Carl Lamson furnished worthy accompaniments.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 23.—Fritz Kreisler came and cast his effulgence upon us—3000 of us—and left us happier and wiser, and himself richer, for having come. It was a grand evening for Kreislerana; it was Kreisler in the flesh, Kreisler in original composition and Kreisler in many transcriptions. He offered many other lovely numbers as well. Auer prodigies may come and go, but Fritz Kreisler is always a god, at least Pittsburg thinks so. Carl Lamson at the piano worked his way through the many favorites that the soloist offered in his usual [illegible] manner.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 22.—One of the most notable audiences ever collected here in honor of a great artist filled the Athenaeum on the occasion of Fritz Kreisler's appearance under the Philharmonic society. Every available seat was taken in the auditorium, the capacity of which was recently enlarged.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 17.—The most memorable concert of the season was given by Fritz Kreisler on Jan. 13, at Convention hall under the local management of Louis W. Shouse. An audience of 6000 with a large out-of-town representation heard this king among violinists, who was assisted by Carl Lamson, his capable accompanist.

[illegible] are served to the inmates of [illegible] prison on an average of 12 a week and 10,500 are used for one meal.

Ice cream made of goats' milk and flavored with rose leaves is a favorite delicacy.

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Lowell Players
INSTANTANEOUS
And Emphatic Success of Jane Cowl's Great
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JUNE and IRENE MELVA
CLAIRMONT BROS.
Kinograms—Topics of the Day—Comedy
SPECIAL NOTICE.
Princess Wah-Letka will positively answer one question to every lady attending the Matinee Friday. The Princess invites all ladies present to attend a reception immediately after the matinee.

The Rialto
TOWERS CORNER
STARTING TODAY
MARY MILES MINTER
—In—
"EYES OF THE HEART"
Adapted from the story "Blindness"
ADDED FEATURE
RUBYE DE REMER
—In—
"HIS TEMPORARY WIFE"
Usual Bill of Other Attractions

CROWN THEATRE
—TODAY—
The Comical
Normand in "Pinto"
LAUGH! LAUGH! LAUGH!
J. WARREN KERRIGAN
—IN—
"The Dream Cheater"
A Very Good Picture
COMEDY—OTHERS

STRAND
NOW PLAYING
BERT LYTELL
IN
THE MISLEADING LADY
HE WAS A 20th CENTURY CAVE MAN—BUT SHE LIKED 'EM ROUGH—BACTS
ALSO
SHIRLEY MASON
THE GIRL OF MY HEART

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Thursday—Friday—Saturday
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DOWN ON THE FARM
A riot of rural romance and revelry. Romping through six big reels of corn-fed comedy. Featuring Ben Turpin and Louise Fazenda.
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A picture that brings both tears and smiles. Featuring Eileen Sedgwick.
Comedy—News—Travel Pictures

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The Untamed
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H. B. WARNER
IN
"ONE HOUR BEFORE DAWN"
IT'S A SPECIAL

New JEWEL Theatre
LAST TIMES TODAY
"LOVE'S PROTEGE"
With
ORA CAREW
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THE GAGNON COMPANY
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New Spring styles that have just come in. The colors are black and white, blue and white and the soft shades of brown and tan. Special values at $8.50, $12.98 and $14.95

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In all wool serge, for the misses and small women. The dresses have the new flared skirts and are all smartly tailored. Special values $15.00

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Peter Pans and frilled effect voile waists, to wear with suits or sweaters. Special values at .... $2.98 and $3.98

GIRLS' DRESSES
Beautiful new plaid gingham, neatly trimmed with collar and belt of contrasting colors, with or without bloomers; sizes 2 to 14 years; $2.00 and $2.50 values.... $1.29

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS
Heavy fleece lined suits in all sizes, irregulars of $3.00 quality $1.59

WOOL SPORT HOSE
For women, in green and brown heather; $2.00 and $3.00 values $1.00

CHILDREN'S HOSIERY
In black and white, heavy rib and reinforced heel and toe; 39c value .... 19¢

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS
Of heavy silk and wool, in broken styles but in all sizes; $5.00 and $6.00 values, $3.98

WOMEN'S KID GLOVES
Imported lamb kid 2-clasp gloves, in all colors; $3.00 values $1.65

MEN'S SHIRTS
All wool flannel shirts, in grey and green; $5.00 and $6.00 values $2.98

MEN'S PAJAMAS
Of heavy domet flannelette, with double silk frogs; $3.50 and $4.00 values, $1.98

MEN'S UNION SUITS
All wool suits, in medium and heavy weights; $6.00 to $8.00 values $3.00

INFANTS' LONG SLIPS
With embroidered yoke or plain shirred style; $1.00 and $1.25 values .... 69¢

BOYS' TWO-PANTS SUITS
All wool and new Spring styles, made with yoke and inverted pleats in back, sizes 8 to 17 years; $12.00 values........ $8.75

BOYS' SHOES
Black kangaroo calf blucher shoes, with double soles, all solid leather; $4.50 values, $3.50

GIRLS' SHOES
Gun metal or vici kid, English or wide toe; sizes 11 to 2; $3.50 value........ $2.35

BOYS' SHOES
Brown and black calf shoes, in all solid leather; sizes 9 to 13½; $3.50 values.... $2.98

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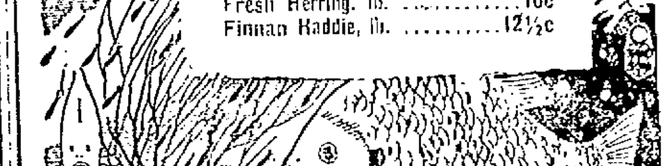
If it Swims, We Have it

Shore Haddock, lb.	6c
Flounders, lb.	9c
Mackerel, lb.	22c
Smelts, lb.	25c
Eels, lb.	28c
Spawn	30c
Sliced Red Salmon, lb.	28c
Sliced Haddock, lb.	15c
Sliced Boston Bluefish, lb.	15c
Halibut (sliced)	35c
Swordfish (sliced)	35c
Steak Cod	15c
Butterfish	29c
Clams (shelled), qt.	12c
Clams, qt.	49c
Mussels, qt	10c
Boiled Lobsters	55c
Shell Oysters, doz.	20c
Cod Cheeks, lb.	22c
Live Lobsters	50c
Scallops, lb.	49c
Oysters, qt.	80c
Fresh Herring, lb.	10c
Finnan Haddie, lb.	12½c



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The recreation department of New York City says more girls than ever are ice skating this winter. Van Cortlandt Park ice is crowded every time the "Skating Safe" sign goes up. It takes the fair ones about a minute to don their skates and sometimes that much longer to discover that skating has its harsh moments. It's great sport if you can keep right side up.

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Chalifoux's CORNER

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FATE DRAWS PARALLEL

In Lives of Two Heroes — "Bunkies" in the World War

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—Fate drew parallel lines for the all-

Joseph A Voos

Earl R. Shope

too-short and heroic lives of Joseph Voos and Earl Shope.

Voos and Shope met as boys in the schoolyard. They were close friends through adolescence, and when the war came they enlisted together. Both became wagoners in the 62d Coast Artillery Corps. On the transport, in billets and in tents they were "bunkies."

And one day, when a long, chill rain drenched fields and men alike they contracted pneumonia and died—strangely enough within six hours of each other.

Their comrades agreed that they should be buried side by side in the little French town of Li Bourne.

Frederick Strickland, their "top sergeant," was in charge of the services.

The hour of burial was 11 in the morning. A cold rain beat a steady, monotonous dirge as the bodies were laid at rest.

The end of the war brought the exhuming of bodies. Together sealed caskets containing the remains of the buddies were brought to San Francisco.

Again Frederick Strickland, their top sergeant," was in charge of the services.

Again the hour of burial was 11 o'clock. Again a cold rain beat a steady, monotonous dirge.

The graves form a perfect parallel in the Presidio cemetery.

VOICE RULES TOYS

Santa Claus To Hold Annual Fair Soon

(N.E.A. Staff Special)

NEW YORK, Feb. 2—Sound-wave toys are the latest on the plaything market.

They'll be exhibited here during the month of the annual toy show which starts Feb. 12. At this show merchants will buy for next Christmas.

These devices operate by aid of the human voice.

It is now possible for a child to have an all-steel toothless dog which will leap from its kennel when its little master calls "Bruno!"

Other sound-controlled toys include a submarine which will dive into a miniature sea when its owner gives the proper command.

The sound-wave toys are controlled by magnets and a recording mechanism something like that of a phonograph.

When the toy show opens, more than 5000 manufacturers are expected to be on hand with their wares.

There will also be delegations from Europe, though none from Germany.

Manufacturers say that America's toy bill for 1921 will exceed $100,000,000.

Toy prices are not expected to take any immediate drop back.

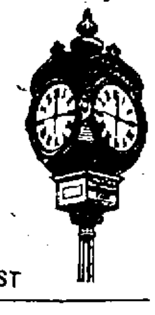
Dealers say there is a growing tendency in America to supplant the purely amusement toy with devices both scientific and instructive.

America now leads the world in toy-making, with the exception of dolls.

Maine factories produce annually about 500,000,000 wooden spools on which thread is wound for sale.

BY THE CLOCK—MERRIMACK SQUARE

PAGE'S CANDY



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MADE FRESH DAILY

CHOCOLATES ...... $1.00 the pound
Cream, Fruit and Nut Centres

CARAMELS .... $1.00 the pound
Made with 40 per cent. butter cream and choicest Vermont honey.

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Made with rich, creamy fondant and fruit and nut centres.

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PAGE'S SPECIAL POUND BOX, all cream centres.....80¢
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Why be overfat when you might easily reduce 10 to 60 pounds, (whatever you need to) by the wonderfully effective, safe, reliable Korein system? You look and feel younger. Get a small box of KOREIN tabules (pronounced koreen) at the druggist's. Follow directions under money-refund guarantee. Brochure will be mailed you FREE by KOREIN CO., NE-96, Station X, New York, N. Y.

The Tell-Tale of Gray Hair

To be judged ten years older than you actually are, is the tell-tale of gray, streaked hair, which detracts from a youthful appearance as much as a wrinkled face does.

Women, everywhere, prefer the easy, harmless "Brownatone" method that tints gray, streaked, faded or bleached

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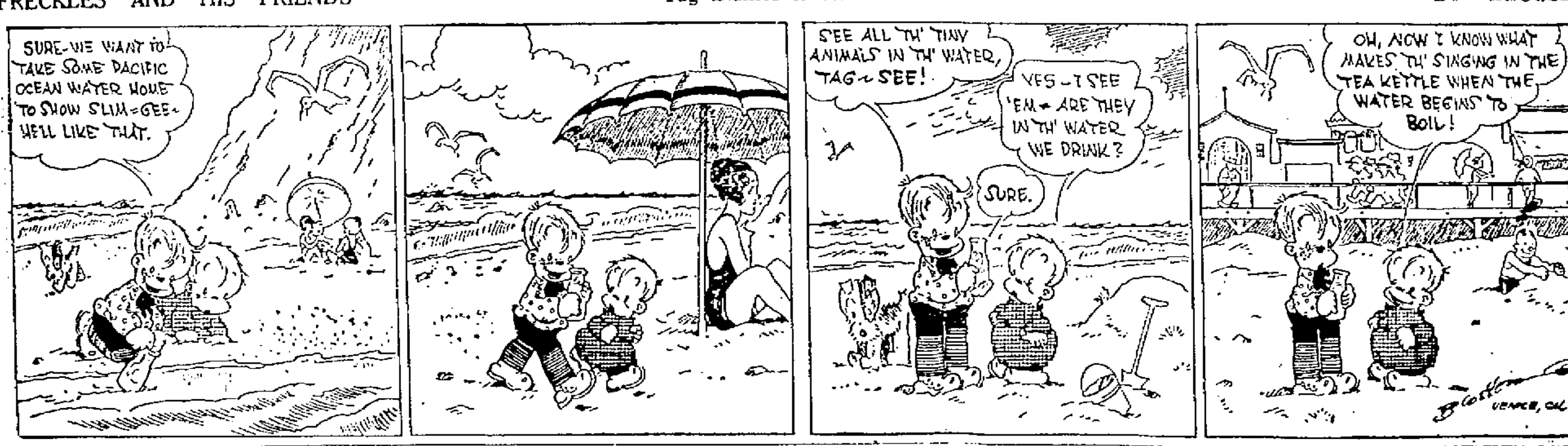
Special Free Trial Offer

For a free trial bottle of "Brownatone" send to The Kenton Pharmacal Co., 660 Coppin Bldg., Covington, Ky., enclosing 11c to pay postage, packing and war tax.—Adv.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS — Helen Has a Midnight Caller — BY ALLMAN

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS — Tag Blames It on the Animals — BY BLOSSER



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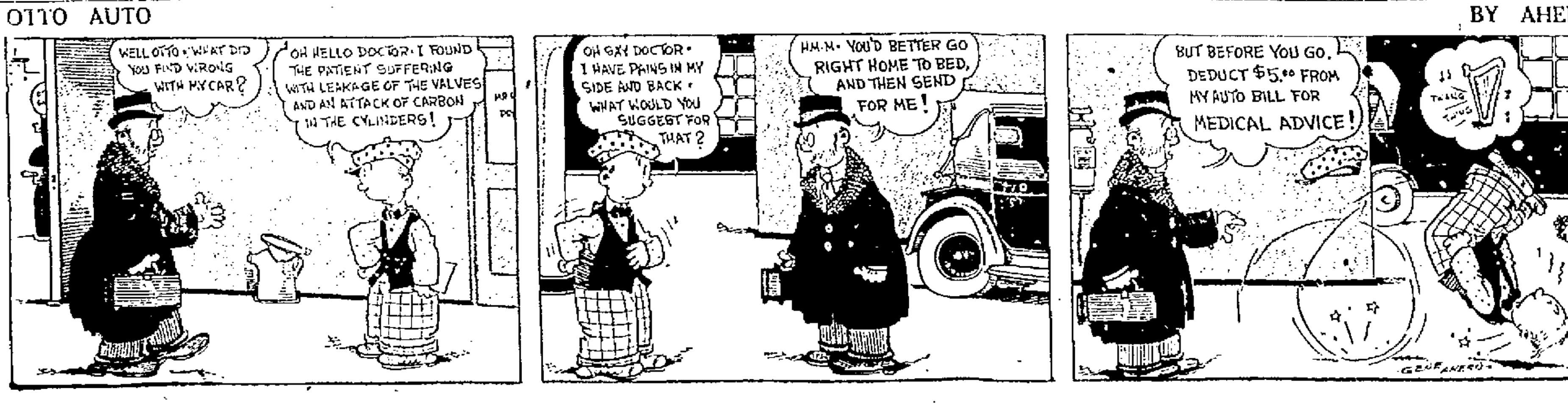

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If the Mere Mention of Piles Makes You Shudder Get a Box of Pyramid Pile Suppositories

For the pain and distress due to itching, bleeding, protruding piles or hemorrhoids, get a 60 cent box of Pyramid Pile Suppositories at the

nearest drug store. Take no substitute. The quick relief has been a great blessing to a host of people who fairly shudder at the very mention of the discomfort and misery due to this almost universal complaint. Don't delay. Take no substitute.

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For Dandruff

Those little flecks from your head that fall upon your clothing and spoil your pleasure are dandruff—a scalp disorder. Conquer it completely under money-back guarantee. Use Kotalko. Amazingly quick, lasting benefit reported by legions of men, women, children. Save your hair! Get new hair. It is possible in many cases even after baldness—absolutely proved. Remember KOTALKO—at any busy drug store. Watch your mirror! Show others this advertisement.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Clive Roberts Barton

CHECKERS

Day after day passed and not once did the little adventurers, Nancy and Nick, think of the errand upon which they were bent. The wicked Jinn had them prisoners in his ice-palace, or rather in his icebing palace with its turrets and towers, floating around on the ocean. So much did it look like an ordinary iceberg, however, that the gulls and seabirds flying near, perched on its ledges, calling hoarsely to one another that the weather was fine, or that it looked like a storm and they'd better be making for land, never dreaming that the great mass of ice was really an enchanted palace and that two little children were prisoners within.

The little Red Slippers of Forgetfulness had put everything out of the minds of the little travelers. The Jinn had taken their own Magic Shoes and all their charms, which were to help them on their trip to the South Pole.

He brought a checker-board, and from morning until night the little folks played. Sometimes Nancy would win, and sometimes Nick, and the Jinn kept a great long list of how many games each had won. Not once did the twins mention their errand, because they had forgotten it; but the wicked wizard, as he watched them play had not forgotten, and he took good care that they did not kick off the bewitched Red Slippers. Things were going to suit him very well indeed, now, for he had promised the wicked fairy Snitcher-Snatch at the South Pole that he would do all he could to keep the twins away.

Outside, the walrus lay patiently on the ice, waiting. He had promised to help the children and he had not forgotten. Just now he was watching some whales in the sea.

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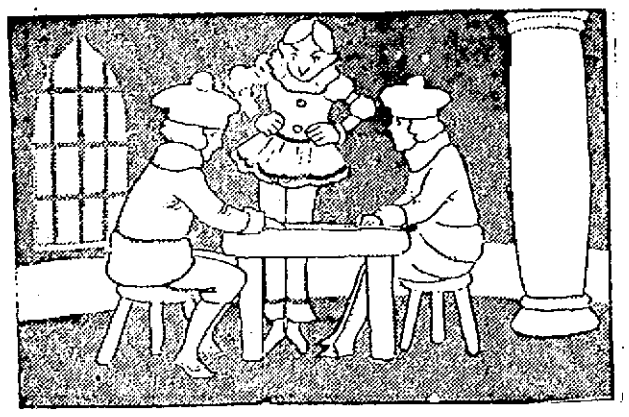

THE JINN BROUGHT OUT A CHECKER BOARD, AND FROM MORNING TO NIGHT THE LITTLE FOLKS PLAYED.

ANOTHER ATTEMPT WAS MADE TODAY TO PUT SHOES ON JOEL WEATHERBYS BLACK COLT.

THE OLD HOME TOWN BY STANLEY

REPORT ON CEMETERIES

Commission Hears Report of Work of Supt. Duckworth for Year

The exceptional weather and temperature conditions of last winter were vividly recalled in the annual report of Supt. Thomas Duckworth, read at the meeting of the cemetery commission in city hall yesterday afternoon. The report states that for three months there were practically no burials, and that when the spring arrived the receiving tomb was filled to its capacity.

The report also showed that the commission has a cash balance on hand of $21,320.68.

The report, in substance, follows:

In this cemetery, as in all other cemeteries in New England, we encountered serious difficulties in burying the dead last winter. I found it practically impossible to keep the avenues open, although we kept the plow going all the time. During January, February and March there were practically no burials, all bodies going to the receiving tomb, which was filled to its capacity.

The spring was late in coming; it was almost May before we could begin our spring work. However, we got along very nicely and had all the cemeteries in good order before the 30th of May.

There have been an unusually large number of lots graded and repaired this season. The number of lots graded for perpetual care shows a growing desire on the part of the public for permanent care. This has been a banner year in this respect.

All necessary repairs on buildings and fences have been completed. Settees, baskets and all iron work repainted and put in good shape for the coming season.

In Westlawn cemetery a section of 120 lots has been levelled, graded and loamed, and is ready for seeding. We are keeping well ahead of lots for burial purposes. There are about 1000 single graves ready for use. Undeveloped land for about 6000 more single graves. I would advise a line of shrubbery planted in the rear of section 24 this coming spring.

Old English, School Street and Pawtucketville cemeteries have received the same care as Edson and Westlawn, fences repaired and lots kept in good condition.

Expense for the upkeep of old English cemetery, $220.

Expense for upkeep of the School street cemetery, $236.

Expense for the upkeep of the Pawtucketville cemetery, $199.

Sale of Lots

Lots were sold during the year as follows:

In Edson—13 lots, 15 single graves, with perpetual care.

In Westlawn—26 lots, 50 half lots, 118 single graves.

In the Edson there are about 1040 lots not deeded. Of this number nearly 300 are available for use.

Interments

The total number of interments was 637. Of these, 328 were in the Edson, 256 in Westlawn, two in the Old English cemetery. Entombments, 113, of which 20 were removed from the cemetery; lined graves, 79; chapel services, 18; vaults, 17. City burials, for which there is no compensation, 37; adults, 12; children 25. There were 14 burials in the free ground.

Care and Repair of Lots

ANNUAL CARE

Number cared for	2165
Number graded	194
Number graves filled	205
Number stones reset	7
Number stones reset	5
Number foundations	7

PERPETUAL CARE

Number cared for	1359
Number graded and repaired	15
Number graves filled	230
Number stones reset	7

Financial

Credit balance Jan. 1, 1920		$ 6,114.48
Receipts—		
Sale of lots	$ 1,934.00	
Care and repair of lots	7,497.50	
Interments	3,217.00	
Misc.—Recording	93.89	
Total		$12,762.47
Transfer— J. H. Stackpole fund	15.50	
From perpetual care income of lots, years 1917, 1918, 1919 and 1920	17,595.00	17,595.50
Total credit		$36,772.45
Expenditures— Payrolls	$ 18,872.00	
Bills	2,293.89	21,165.89
Credit balance Dec. 31, 1920		15,606.56
Cash receipts		5,898.65
Total amount available		$21,505.21
Accounts outstanding		$1,871.21
Amount of bills sent to the city treasurer for care and repair of streets		[illegible]
Perpetual Care Total amount of fund, 1919	[illegible]	
Received during the year for lots put in perpetual care	[illegible]	
Total amount of fund	[illegible]	
Interest earned during the year not included		
Amount due revenue account for care and repairs of lots during the past year	[illegible]	

The sum of $11.50 was paid to John F. Webster for flowers placed on the J. H. Stackpole lot, in accordance with terms of legacy left to the commissioners in July, 1917.

Transferred from perpetual care, interest fund for care of lots during 1917, 1918, 1919 and 1920 [illegible]

Balance on hand, general fund Dec. 31, 1920 [illegible]

Total amount available [illegible]

Accounts [illegible]

$21,505.21

Summary

[illegible] Total, cash, $5,898.65; accounts, $12,762.47.

QUICK RELIEF FROM CONSTIPATION

Get Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

That is the joyful cry of thousands since Dr. Edwards produced Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel.

Dr. Edwards, a practicing physician for 17 years and calomel's old-time enemy, discovered the formula for Olive Tablets while treating patients for chronic constipation and torpid livers.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do not contain calomel, but a healing, soothing vegetable laxative.

No griping is the "keynote" of these little sugar-coated, olive-colored tablets. They cause the bowels and liver to act normally. They never force them to unnatural action.

If you have a "dark brown mouth"—bad breath—a dull, tired feeling—sick headache—torpid liver—constipation, you'll find quick, sure and pleasant results from one or two of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets at bedtime.

Thousands take them every night just to keep right. Try them. 15c and 30c

Borden's Evaporated Milk
Ready when you want it—Richer, purer and more economical
With the cream left in

Get Horlick's The Original Malted Milk
Safe Milk For Infants & Invalids
NO COOKING
The "Food-Drink" for All Ages. Quick Lunch at Home, Office, and Fountains. Ask for HORLICK'S.
Avoid Imitations & Substitutes

AIR THICK WITH STREAK OF OATHS

Dawes Denounces Critics Who Seek to Minimize American War Efforts

Declares Politics Back of Attacks—Raps Pink Tea Diplomats

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Declaring he was not in politics and was not going in, Charles G. Dawes of Chicago, former chief of supply procurement for the American army in France, bitterly attacked yesterday what he charged were political attempts to discredit the achievements of the people who won the war.

In the course of a five-hour examination by a house war investigation committee he struck with sledge hammer blows at critics who had tried, he said, to detract from the glory of the great achievement by picking flaws and parading trivial faults 3000 miles away. At times the air was thick with a streak of oaths for which the witness frankly confessed he had neither apology nor excuse.

Later in the day he reiterated an earlier off-hand statement as to his own part in politics, which was accepted to mean that he would not become a member of Mr. Harding's cabinet with which his name has been linked. Even before his views on this subject were expressed, he sharply denounced the present system of conducting the federal government, an evil of 100 years' standing, he declared, with which investigators might better afford to deal instead of trying to scoop up water already over the dam. He was called by democratic members of the committee to rebut testimony to waste and extravagance and particularly with reference to liquidation of American accounts in France and sale of surplus stocks to the French government. Answering charges that food and clothing supplies might have brought more than the $400,000,000 paid by France, Mr. Dawes turned sharply upon one of his questioners, Representative Hand, republican, Indiana, and shouted:

"It is just that sort of fool argument that forced Great Britain to hold on to its stocks and attempt to drive a hard bargain. The stuff is there today, rotting. You cannot discuss an ex parte question 3000 miles away. There is no use to try and throw mud when you were not there to know conditions. England lost billions of dollars by listening to that sort of talk—listening to a lot of people who were afraid of muck rakers at home. They are raising the devil in England now because England did not sell its supplies when we sold."

Dr. Dawes said as a matter of fact he thought France was charged too much.

"Here you come now and charge," he said, "that we should not have sold sugar. The war department ordered the sale. We got rid of the sugar went in a lump lot with the junk. Everything was second hand. We got 400 million dollars for it. We liquidated every account, and we did it because a lot of big men quit their jobs and went over there to help. We cleaned the slate, and congress today still has pending claims that date back to the Revolutionary war. It was a big job and we are proud of it. In finding fault and hunting responsibility, you don't have to go far. Pershing was the commander-in-chief, and his shoulders were big enough, thank God, to bear it."

Mr. Hand questioned Mr. Dawes about excessive prices paid for equipment and material.

"Sure we paid," he said. "We didn't dicker. Why, man alive, we had to win the war! It was a man's job. We would have paid horse prices for sheep, if the sheep could have pulled artillery to the front. The man like Johnson, there," he said, turning to the chairman of the committee, "was standing at the front to be shot at. We had to get him food and ammunition. Oh, it's all right now to say we bought too much vinegar and too many cold chisels, but we saved the civilization of the world."

Quite a lot of the questioning related to Great Britain.

"I am no more ashamed to stand up here for England than for the United States," said Mr. Dawes, jumping from his chair and racing around the little committee room. "It seems to be fashionable in American politics to attack England. I am not in politics and I am not going to be. And I thank God that in a crisis like we had there were no dickerings between the English-speaking peoples. England took over 40 per cent. of our troops. Of course, Pershing gave them five divisions, but it had to be done to save the allied line."

The line of questioning shifted constantly. Diplomats were mentioned.

"The diplomatic system of appointing men with pink tea experiences in war time," said Mr. Dawes, "was a rotten failure. It was all due to the appointment of society men—pink tea fellows. They couldn't get anywhere. We had George McFadden over there and he did in three days what the diplomats couldn't do in three months."

Declaring that the army was clean in all of its purchases and business methods, he said there was some comfort even at this late day in finding now a desire to set down an honorable record of its work.

"Every precaution was made to prevent payment of extortionate prices for supplies in France," he declared. "Every purchase had to have my O.K. and that of the French government.

"Of course there were thieves hanging around—adventurers who follow every calamity—some of them Americans, who wanted to reap a profit out of every deed of a soldier. There were grafters who went to Frenchmen with the supplies we needed and said they could demand and obtain exorbitant prices. They came openly to our men and offered bribes. And there we were needing their goods which we had to take, knowing there would be an assumption in some quarters that because we took them we were bribed."

Mr. Dawes also paid his respects to open diplomacy.

"Let me illustrate," he said. "We needed 50,000 artillery horses. They were in the fields, and it was harvest time in France, and everybody said there would be a revolution if we attempted to take them. It was my job to get them, and it was my argument that we could not get our men to the front without them, and unless we got them the Germans would break through. We didn't talk prices—we just pulled them out of the field. Of course that sort of stuff couldn't be printed."

"What did you get for the horses when they were re-sold to France?" he was asked.

"I don't know," he replied, "but the price was low. Of course it was. The horses were taken from the field. It is easy to find fault, easy to say we should have struck a bigger bargain. But put yourselves over there and I think your viewpoint would be different."

Before the supplies service was coordinated everybody, Mr. Dawes said, was pulling in different directions.

"We have got the same trouble here," he added, "with 10 cabinet officers, each trying to get everything for himself, regardless of the common welfare. The president ought to stop it."

Mr. Dawes said mistakes were made.

"But," he said, "I am glad that there is a desire in some quarters to make a permanent and honorable record of what our men did. There have been complaints that our surplus in France was sold. It would have kept 40,000 men there trying to guard it while we peddled it in small lots. The men were brought home, and the best bargain of the war was in the sale of that stuff to France.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Catherine Long, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Joseph F. Tobin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the eighth day of February, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Catharine Etta Brady, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Peter Brady of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the fifteenth day of February A. D. 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this [illegible] day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

James E. O'Donnell, Atty.

[illegible] Judge Dubois and Judge [illegible] with the Dubois. We hold our cards down. I told our friends that some of the [illegible] different prices that [illegible] Parker was a bad lot [illegible] United States.

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GOV. PARKHURST LAID AT REST

Men Prominent in All Walks of Life in State and Nation Attend Funeral

Eloquent Eulogy by Rev. A. R. Scott—Streets Lined as Procession Passes

AUGUSTA, Me., Feb. 3.—"There are moments so solemn with a sense of loss and so filled with emotion that words are inadequate to express what we feel; the hush of silence seems more fitting."

These opening words of the eulogy of Rev. Alva R. Scott of the Bangor Unitarian church, his pastor, characterized the funeral service of solemn simplicity which was Maine's tribute to Frederic Hale Parkhurst, her dead governor in the South Parish Congregational church today.

In deference to the wishes of Mrs. Parkhurst, the funeral, although a state ceremony attended by men of prominence in all walks of life in state and nation, was as simple as possible. There was no singing.

The funeral cortege left the state house shortly after 1 o'clock for the church, passing through streets lined with sorrowing men, women and children, the men and boys with bared heads. Col. Frank M. Hume of Houlton, former commander of the 103rd regiment of the 26th Division, was chief marshal. The body in its heavy bronze casket, borne on a gun carriage, was escorted by a provisional battalion of the Third Infantry, Maine National Guard, Maj. Irving E. Thomas of Waterville, commanding, and the regimental band.

The honorary bearers were Chief Justice Leslie C. Cornish of the supreme court, United States Senators Fernald and Hale, Congressmen Goodall, White, Peters and Hersey, former Governors Cobb, Plaisted, Curtis and Milliken, Federal Judges Clarence Hale and Charles F. Johnson, former Chief Justice William P. Whitehouse of this city and Congressman-elect Carroll L. Beedy, of Portland. The active bearers were 22 members of the Maine Quartermaster Corps, commanded by Capt. Lester M. Hart.

In the funeral procession were Gov. Percival P. Baxter with his military staff and aides, members of the executive council, the associate justices of the supreme court, members of the legislature, which was in biennial session when the governor died, heads of state departments, Mayor Sanford L. Fogg of this city, and citizens' committees representing Augusta and Bangor.

New Hampshire was represented by Secretary of State Bean, Vermont by former Lieut. Gov. Mason S. Stone and Adjt. Gen. Herbert T. Johnson, and Massachusetts by Capt. John S. Barrows, one of Gov. Cox's personal aides.

The services at the church consisted of the reading of the Scriptures by Rev. Paul S. Phelan, pastor of the Augusta Unitarian church, prayer by Rev. James H. Ecob, pastor of the church in which the service was held, and the sermon and benediction by Rev. Mr. Scott.

"I come in this sacred hour," said the governor's pastor, "to pay a tribute of love and respect to a fellow townsman and a friend.

"Governor Parkhurst was instinctively a courteous and kingly man. A friendly gentleman, he was by nature and cultivation. In the heat of political discussion, self-control and deliberate speech were marked characteristics.

"He possessed an indomitable energy along with the careful training of a keen mind. His capacity for long and continuous hard work enabled him to accomplish more than most of us do. It is probable that in the last half year he forgot there are limits to physical strength.

"Colonel Parkhurst from his very boyhood had an ambition to make the most out of his life. He studied and planned to do something worth while to be of value to his community and his state and these he has served with devotion in many and varied ways.

"I have heard him say that he had an ambition to be governor of Maine. The office of chief executive to his mind afforded the great opportunity to serve his fellow citizens. His whole life was a preparation for this responsibility. His love for his native state can hardly be equalled. It is a severe loss when a man of fine integrity and a clean, strong manhood passes from us."

Bangor Pays Tribute

BANGOR, Me., Feb. 3.—Bangor paid tribute today to the memory of her distinguished son, the late Gov. Frederic Hale Parkhurst, schools being closed and courts adjourned for the day and business being suspended after the noon hour that citizens generally might attend the committal services here following the funeral services at Augusta. Flags on all public buildings and schools were lowered to half staff and city hall bell was tolled while the funeral procession was on its way to the cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Thomas Doole desire to thank all friends for kind expressions of sympathy and floral tributes received in their recent sad bereavement.

MRS. THOS. DOOLE and Family.

DEATHS

TURCOTTE—Miss Malina Turcotte died last evening at her home, 752 Merrimack street, aged 52 years, 3 months and 15 days. Deceased was a well known resident of Lowell and had lived here all her life. She leaves two sisters, Mrs. Delia Camire of Saskatchewan, P. Q., and Miss Helen Turcotte of Lowell.

NORTON—Mrs. Caroline Couture Norton died last night at the home of her son, William Norton, 32 Marshall street, aged 72 years, 3 months and 19 days. She leaves two sons, Alfred Norton of Lincoln ville, Vt., and William Norton, and one sister, Mrs. John Trudeau of Lowell.

BLAISDELL—Mrs. Clara A. Blaisdell died yesterday at the home of her grandson in Chelmsford, aged 76 years. She leaves two sisters, Mrs. Marcia Pierce of Dorchester and Mrs. Clara Burns of Saco, Me.; also four grandchildren. She was a member of the Ladies of the G.A.R., of Billerica. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker W. Herbert Blake.

LODGE—John P. Lodge died yesterday at his home in North Billerica, aged 55 years. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Mary A. Lodge; one son, Richard Lodge and three brothers, Mark of Manchester, Mass., and George and Albert Lodge of New Foundland, N. S. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker W. Herbert Blake.

DOUGHERTY—Mrs. Sarah Dougherty died yesterday at the Lowell General hospital, aged 70 years, 2 months and 29 days. She leaves one sister, Mrs. Martha Maker and two brothers, Chas. W. Forbes and Luther H. Forbes, all of Nashua, N. H. Her body was removed to the rooms of Hiram C. Brown.

FUNERALS

CONDON—The funeral services of Mrs. Annie E. Condon were held at her home, 200 Branch street yesterday afternoon. Rev. Asa R. Dills, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church, officiated. The bearers were James Droney, Jas. O'Brien, James McFadden, John Redding, Patrick O'Donohoe and William Brennan. Burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery, where Rev. Asa R. Dills read the committal service. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William C. Brown.

LONDON—The funeral services of Mrs. Annie E. London were held at her home, 200 Branch st, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Asa R. Dills, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church, officiated. The bearers were James Droney, James O'Brien, James McFaden, John Redding, Patrick O'Donohue and William Brennan. Burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery where Rev. Asa R. Dills read the committal service. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Hiram C. Brown.

SMITH—The funeral of Mrs. Ann Smith took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from her home, 47 Fifth street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church, where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. James F. Lynch. The choir directed by Mr. Thomas P. Houlger sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Mr. Houlger and Miss Margaret Griffin. Mrs. Ella M. Reilly-Toye presided at the organ. There were many beautiful floral offerings, also many spiritual remembrances from sympathizing relatives and friends. The bearers were Messrs. Joseph Johnson, Thomas Doolan, David Price, John Sullivan, William Mathews and Patrick Moriarty. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Fr. Lynch conducted the committal service at the grave. Funeral Director James W. McKenna was in charge.

FUNERAL NOTICES

DOUGHERTY—Died in this city, Feb. 2, at the Lowell General hospital, Mrs. Sarah Dougherty, aged 70 years, 2 month, 29 days. Funeral services will be held from the undertaking parlors of Hiram C. Brown Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited, burial private.

KISIOLCK—Mrs. Ludwika Kisiolck died yesterday morning at St. John's hospital, aged 39 years. The body was removed to her home, 35 Front st, by Undertaker Joseph Urbanek. Funeral will take place Friday morning at 7.30 o'clock. Funeral mass at 8 o'clock at Holy Trinity church, High st.

SULLIVAN—The funeral of Michael Sullivan will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 5 Joiner's court, off Lawrence street. Funeral high mass will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Higgins Bros. in charge.

CARRON—The funeral of Mrs. Marie Helene (Cartier) Carron will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Willis J. Peltier, 803 Moody street. Solemn funeral mass at 9 o'clock at St. Joseph's church. Burial in St. Joseph's cemetery in charge of Undertakers Amedee S. Archambault & Sons.

AYOTTE—The funeral of Arthur J. Ayotte will take place Saturday morning from the home of his father-in-law, Mr. Albert Lario, 36 Decatur street, at 8 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Jean Baptiste church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Joseph's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

FOLEY—The funeral of John Foley will take place Friday morning from his home, 12 Hutchinson street at 9 o'clock. At St. Peter's church a funeral high mass of requiem will be celebrated at 9.45 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertaker William A. Mack.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to all our relatives and friends who by their kindness, floral and spiritual offerings helped to lighten the burdens during our recent bereavement in the death of our dear mother. Their kindness will ever be remembered by us.

MRS. GEO. P. FOGARTY.
MRS. DANIEL A. WHOLEY.

TWO ALARMS SOUNDED

Fire of Undetermined Origin In North Dormitory at Georgetown University

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Fire of undetermined origin started today under the roof of the North dormitory at Georgetown university, but was brought under control before the building had been seriously damaged.

The structure is the oldest at the university, having been built in 1795. It housed about 60 students.

The blaze was confined to the space under the roof and most of the damage was done by water. It was believed that a few thousand dollars would cover the total loss.

Companies responding to the first alarm were unable to cope with the blaze, and a second alarm called half a dozen additional engine companies to the scene.

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Private Durward Mosher of Camp Devens is visiting his mother in Beebe, Que.

General Butler Ames of this city, who was severely injured in an automobile accident in Woburn a few days ago, is reported as doing well, and it is said he will be able to leave the hospital and return to his home the latter part of the week.

A reception in honor of Edward Tucker of Sorel, Que., who is visiting relatives in this city, was held last evening in the home of Mrs. Jane Lachance, 765 Lakeview avenue. Lunch-meeting of the cemetery commission in was given.

Directors of the Middlesex Safe Deposit and Trust company at their meeting yesterday appointed Charles E. Walsh as manager of the savings department. Mr. Walsh has been in faithful service for the bank since 1901. He is the son of Inspector John Walsh of the police department.

It is expected that Street Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy and City Engineer Stephen Kearney will rub elbows next week with upwards of 5000 road building experts gathered from all parts of the world. They were planning to leave Monday to attend the annual convention of the American Road Builders' association that is to meet in Chicago February 8 and continue in session for the remainder of the week.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion staged a very successful valentine and dancing party in Legion hall last night. There was a large number in attendance and the members of the committee in charge were greatly pleased with the financial returns. A very pretty and comfortable "cosy corner" was provided through the courtesy of the Robertson Furniture company, which loaned furnishings for the purpose.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. George Latham and Miss Regina Jette were married yesterday afternoon at St. Joseph's rectory, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Athanase Marion, O.M.I. The couple were attended by Messrs. Theophile Jette and Seraphin St. Amand. At the close of the ceremony a wedding supper was served at the home of the bride's parents, 74 Cabot street, and later the couple left on an extended honeymoon trip. Upon their return they will make their home in this city.

REQUIEM MASSES

McCABE—In loving memory of my dear father, William P. McCabe, who passed away Feb. 4, 1915. Fifth anniversary requiem mass for the repose of his soul, to be celebrated at St. Patrick's church, Feb. 4, 1921, at 8 o'clock.

CARD OF THANKS

To friends: I wish to acknowledge and give my sincere thanks for the kind words of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes bestowed upon me in my recent bereavement and you may rest assured that it has made an impression upon me which time can never efface.

Sincerely,
A. L. ADAMS.

SHOW GERMANY HOW TO PAY WAR DEBT

PARIS, Feb. 3.—(By the Associated Press.)—Germany is told exactly how to eliminate the 76,000,000,000 marks deficit in her 1920 budget in the report to the allies of the conference of financial experts held in Brussels, made public here yesterday.

Certain German expenses are declared to have been multiplied 75 times over those of 1913 and certain German taxes are shown to be far below those the allied populations are paying. The report says:

"Many figures in the ordinary budget seem to have been established by an administration and parliament equally desirous of showing the world the precarious financial condition of Germany and her difficult situation."

If the recommendations are followed the budget should be speedily balanced, says the report, thus, with a continuation of Germany's economic recovery, the experts declare that Germany "in a relatively short period" can meet her treaty obligations through taxation, without continuing to increase her floating debt or inflate her currency.

The report says the 1919 and 1920 budgets of Germany carried a number of credits which were only partially disbursed, such as 16,500,000,000 marks for the allied armies of occupation expenses, of which only 4,500,000,000 marks was spent. The budget for 1920 carried 12,000,000,000 marks for execution of the peace treaty, while only 17,000,000,000 marks had been paid out up to Dec. 1 last.

Items not justified or greatly multiplied over previous appropriations are said to appear in the 1920 budget. The ministry of the interior appropriation was raised from 13,000,000 marks to 1,433,000,000 marks, an increase of 7500 per cent. The foreign affairs allowance was increased from 24,000,000 marks to 295,000,000 marks. The postal and telegraph employes' expenses multiplied seven times over those of 1913. Thirty-two billion marks were listed for economic subsidies, said to be largely unnecessary, and all or the greater part of these and similar expenses the report declares should disappear from future budgets.

The deficit of 10,000,000,000 marks in railways and other governmental operations should be eliminated through disappearance of the items charged and increasing of rates, which the report asserts have been inadequately raised. The German answer to a questionnaire is cited, showing there are 350,000 more government employes than before the war.

German direct taxes are deemed adequate, but the indirect taxes, including those on alcohol, tobacco, sugar and other articles, are declared to be greatly insufficient. The report says the allied taxes on the same commodities are vastly heavier, based on the purchasing power of money per-capita. The tax on such commodities is 70 times heavier in England and eleven times heavier in France than in Germany.

WITH THE FIREMEN

There was a telephone alarm at 9.55 o'clock this morning for a chimney fire at 37 B street. Last evening at 10.55 o'clock a portion of the department was called by telephone to 1527 Middlesex street for a slight blaze on the roof of the house, caused by sparks from the chimney.

FOR INDUSTRIAL PEACE

Wage Scale Based on Scientific Calculation Offered by Cartwright

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—A wage scale based on a scientific calculation of the relative efforts of capital and labor was offered as the remedy for industrial strife by Former Senator George W. Cartwright of California in an address to the Boston chamber of commerce today.

"We have learned that we cannot solve the problems of industry by raising wages," he said. "They went skyhigh during the war, and industrial disturbances multiplied. Some of us have learned that wages and hours are scientific questions and when that great fundamental fact has filtered through the brains of captains of industry and labor leaders, we will have made a tremendous stride toward industrial peace."

Violent methods invoked by either side will never solve the present problems, declared Mr. Cartwright. "Suppose employers should so combine as to succeed in beating labor into submission," he added. "We would have sullen and unwilling workers, and they would not earn their salt."

"Labor cannot afford to beat capital into submission. If by force they should succeed our private deposit boxes will be filled with idle dollars and idle dollars mean idle men."

In calling for tolerance during the present period, when the purchasing power of the people has been temporarily suspended, Mr. Cartwright pointed out that all of the world's greatest panics were preceded by violent agitation for some political or social nostrum in one or more of the great commercial nations.

OFFICERS INSTALLED

At a largely attended meeting of members of Branch St. Marie, A.C.F., which was held last evening in the rooms of the society in Carmine street, South Lowell, the newly elected officers were inducted into office. They are as follows: Rev. Guillaume Ouellette, O.M.I., chaplain; Ernest Malhot, representative to the executive council; Albert Morin, president; Walter Surprenant, first vice president; Severe Dumont, second vice president; Joseph A. Plante, secretary-treasurer; Alphonse Surprenant, first marshal; Thomas Therkault, second marshal; Armand Surprenant, first auditor; Joseph Contu, second auditor, and Cesaire Gelineau, third auditor. At the close of the meeting interesting remarks were made by the new officers and refreshments were served.

WILL INTERPRET ORIENTAL DANCES

Miss Ella Hazlitt, classic dancer, who will appear on the program with M. Oulukanoff, the Russian baritone, at Colonial hall on Thursday, Feb. 17, began her dancing training at the age of six. She attributes her present successful work to industrious application and study. Miss Hazlitt, in a recent interview, gives her views on this interesting subject.

"Almost every day girls whom I meet ask me if it is possible for them to become dancers by starting to study at 18 or 19. Although I began when the average child is just starting to school, I believe that it is possible for any girl who possesses natural grace, a sense of rhythm and a sound body to become a good classic dancer after three or four years of study. Probably no branch of art demands as many sacrifices if one is to become a professional dancer. First, hard study and lots of practice. Care of the health is almost as important, for I never remember seeing a successful dancer who did not possess good health. It means giving up many parties and pleasures which make demands upon the vitality, but in the end is well worth it. To any girl who possesses the qualifications, I would say that she has an excellent opportunity in this field, as I find that classic dancing is becoming more popular every day. In many cities they are now teaching it in the schools, and I have often been asked, while on tour with operatic companies in various cities, to appear before school boards and teachers' clubs to show and explain the principles of interpretive work."

Miss Hazlitt will interpret a Russian dance and an oriental dance at Colonial hall on Feb. 17, and many are looking forward to this occasion with great interest.

The other dancers on the program will be Miss June Moody, who will dance Pavlowa's famous "Swan" and interpret an 18th century dance, while Miss Mabelle Wood will show two to dances of the modern school.

For some time past these dancers have been under the management of Mr. Franklyn Smith, who is also M. Oulukanoff's manager, and is through this circumstance that they will appear on M. Oulukanoff's program of Russian, Italian and American songs on this date.

Chicago has a snow-loading machine which does the work of 12 trucks and 60 men.

The price of raw cotton has dropped 60 per cent. in the last eight months.

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Ginger Ale

Trunk, Lost Seven Years, Turns Up

YORK, Pa., Feb. 3.—Astray in Europe for seven years, a trunk belonging to A. B. Farquhar, a York manufacturer, is home today. It was lost in 1914, while Mr. Farquhar was traveling in Bulgaria. Among its other adventures, it survived a shipwreck in the Black sea. Its contents were intact.

Germany Plans Counter Proposals

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 3.—The German government has summoned its financial experts to prepare counter proposals on reparations for submission to the supreme council conference in London on Feb. 21 according to the Politiken's Berlin correspondent.

Alarming Spread of "Sleeping Sickness"

LONDON, Feb. 3.—Reports of new cases of sleeping sickness have been made by physicians in this city and throughout the country, quite an alarming spread of the disease being shown. There are now more than 100 cases in London and 321 in England and Wales.

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Pocono Jelly, 7½ oz. jar,	2 for 27c
Randall's Grape Juice, pt.	30c
Apricots, Del Monte, No. 2½ can	38c
Peaches, Del Monte, No. 2½ can	45c
Pineapple, Del Monte, No. 2½ can	45c
Pears, Del Monte, No. 2 can	35c
Pineapple, Hawaiian Star, No. 2½ can	38c
Peaches, Westlight, No. 2½ can	38c
Tomatoes, No. 3 can,	2 for 25c
Grand Union Prepared Mustard, pt. jar	25c
Grand Union Stove Polish, per can	15c
Flaroma Coffee, per lb.	45c

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FOOD PRICES CRASH

UNDER PRESSURE OF FATHER TIME—BIG CHANGES IN PAST WEEK

European purchasing power cut-off causes big crisis in food market of America. We advise every person in Lowell to get our prices before doing his week-end purchasing.

SPECIAL AT Grocery Dept. Largest in Lowell

BIG SHIPMENT OF GOLD MEDAL FLOUR, milled by Washburn & Crosby Co. Bbl.	$12
CALIFORNIA PRUNES, 3 Lbs.	25c
SEEDLESS RAISINS, Pkg.	21c
RED KIDNEY BEANS, Lb.	14c
SUGAR CORN, Can	10c
TOMATOES, Can	12½c
GREEN PEAS, Can	12½c
BRITT'S CHIPS, (Ammonia) Pkg.	7c
WASHING SOAP, 10 Bars	49c
WHOLE RICE, Lb.	8c
Best Butter In Lowell—Only One Price Here	52c
FREE SUGAR 1 Lb. Sugar Free With One Lb. of Choice Oolong Tea	49c

BIG SHIPMENT OF GENUINE FRESH AMERICAN LAMBS

Just Arrived—On Sale

LEG GENUINE LAMBS—Pound	25c
LOINS GENUINE LAMBS—Pound	20c
FOREQUARTERS LAMB—Pound	10c
BEST ROUND STEAK—Pound	20c
LEG VEAL—Pound	18c
TENDERLOIN STEAK—Pound	35c
SIRLOIN STEAK—Pound	25c
GOOD MEATY POT ROAST—Pound	13c
GOOD BEEF FOR STEW—Pound	10c

EXTRA Sweet Pickled Corned SHOULDERS	EXTRA Thick Rib Corned BEEF	EXTRA Heavy Fat Salt PORK
19c Lb.	15c Lb.	18c Lb.

BIG DISPLAY OF FISH All Fresh

FRESH SHORE HADDOCK, Lb.	5c
FRESH CHICKEN HALIBUT, Lb.	41c
FRESH COD CHEEKS, Lb.	20c
FRESH CLAMS, Qt.	40c
RED SALMON, Can	30c
FRESH FLOUNDERS, Lb.	9c
FRESH No. 1 SMELTS, Lb.	25c
SHRIMPS (Green) Lb.	30c
SALT CODFISH, Lb.	23c
BONELESS CRAB-MEAT, Can	49c

Fruits and Vegetables

SUNKIST ORANGES, Doz.	33c
RIPE GOLDEN BANANAS, Doz.	35c
SUNKIST LEMONS, Doz.	18c
BALDWIN APPLES, Pk.	50c
CELERY, Bunch	25c
LETTUCE, 3 for	25c

THE WEATHER
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ATTACK ON BIG SCALE

Sinn Feiners Seize Magistrate's House and Use it as Base

Battle Rages Furiously Until Arrival of Military Reinforcements

SKIBBEREEN, County Cork, Ireland, Feb. 3.—Six members of a party said to number several hundred Sinn Feiners were killed and several others wounded in an attack last night on a detachment of 15

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DAWES TURNS ON INVESTIGATORS

Former Army Supply Chief Resumes Testimony and Flays Congressmen

Resents Attack on Army "Because Some Poor Devil Blundered in Switzerland"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Turning sharply upon house investigating committees as a whole, Charles G. Dawes, former head of army supply procurement service in France, told one of them today that the value of their work had been rendered useless through injection of partisan politics.

"I bitterly resent this effort to reflect upon the entire army because some poor devil blundered in Switzerland," he shouted. "You cannot put a blotch on the army. What the hell did we go in for—to steal money; it was not a republican or a democratic war. It was an American war and yet as a rule these committees try to bring in partisan politics.

"You could use your time investigating to a better advantage right here trying to save disgraceful government waste. You could save more money for the people. But as to France, you haven't got evidence to make a case if one existed and I don't believe it does."

Representative Flood of Virginia told Gen. Dawes his idea of investigation was to draw a lesson for the future; if bad administration was shown to say so, and if there was fraud and graft to find out and see that the guilty were punished.

"Yes," Gen. Dawes replied, "but don't let this thing go before the people as a partisan fight. Everybody wants to hear something bad about somebody else. I am not here to make charges that would blacken the name of a sol-

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CLAIM MOVIES GIVE OFFENCE

Chinese Delegation Protests to Mayor Against Caricatures of Their Race

Assert Belief That Pictures May Be Inspired From Japanese Sources

That some of the movie films shown in Lowell playhouses are grossly offensive to the Chinese, and are calculated to bring their ancient race into contempt and disturb the friendly relation between the United States and China, was alleged by members of a delegation from the Textile school, whose homes are in China, who were received in the reception room in city hall today by Mayor Perry D. Thompson.

The members of the delegation were Chi Chung Koi of Makrin, Manchuria; Chi Chung of Peking province; Hsueh Chang Hsue of Shanghai and Cho Wang of Peking City.

The speakers asserted that the pictures of Chinese life as shown in the theatres represented what might happen in the lowest grades of society, and that they did not in any way picture life in China, or among the Chinese in America, as it really is. They said that such pictures were calculated to make Americans look upon the Chinese as a low and degraded race and to feel contempt for them. The opinion was expressed that the pictures are inspired by Japanese propaganda for the purpose of destroying the sympathy and kindly feeling that should ex-

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SEEKS FOR LOWELL WIFE

Mayor Thompson Asked to Act as Cupid's Agent by Westboro Man

Here is your chance, girls. Leap year is passed but matrimony is still seeking you.

Cupid has opened his office in city hall and His Honor Mayor Perry D. Thompson has consented to act as his agent.

He has been appealed to find a suitable wife for a Massachusetts man whose home is in Westboro. The fame of Lowell girls for comeliness and as prospective homemakers has apparently reached him. Anyway, he has written to the mayor thus:

"Mayor Thompson, Dear Sir: I am appealing to your kindness in helping me to find a wife. I am about 42 years old, and have only good habits. Please put this notice in the Lowell papers only. Yours truly."

The mayor has the name and address of the wife-seeker on file in his secret archives. Any Lowell maiden with aspirations for a husband 42 years old and "with only good habits" can communicate with him. He will not undertake to guarantee the husband, but he is willing to certify that Lowell girls are the best in the world, and that the Westboro man showed that he possesses some of the qualifications of a Solomon in coming to this city in search of a helpmate.

RUSHES ORDER FOR NEW PLANT

Council Votes to Inspect Harvard Company Site and Give Hearing

Licensing of Packing-House To Be Jointly Considered With Health Board

The municipal council, at a special meeting today, voted unanimously to make a joint inspection of the site of a proposed packing house in the plant of the Harvard company in Patten street. It was voted to authorize the city clerk to advertise that a hearing will be given on the proposal to grant a license to Bartholomew Scannell to operate the new industry at a meeting of the council next Tuesday at 10 a. m. The members of the board of health will sit jointly with the members of the council at the hearing.

The passage of the resolution for an inspection and hearing was rushed through the council in double-quick time.

As soon as the meeting had been called to order, the mayor made a brief explanation of the reason that had caused him to summon the special session. He referred to the conference of yesterday afternoon at which the

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FOR CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT

Resolution Authorizes President to Invite Nations of World to Send Delegates

First Definite Action Taken By Any Congressional Committee

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—A resolution authorizing the president to invite the nations of the world to send delegates to a conference to provide for disarmament, was reported favorably today by the house foreign affairs committee. The measure was sponsored by Representative Brooks, republican, Illinois.

Under the resolution the conference would be held in Washington but the calling of it would be left

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DRY GOODS AT POLICE STATION

Where Wet Goods Used to Be—Alleged Attempt to Smuggle

Away Merchandise Charged Against John Bardzek and Frank Urbanek

Truck Load on Way to Haverhill Intercepted By Sergt. Dwyer

Shoes, umbrellas, pajama suits, and other dry goods of every description to the value of several thousand dollars, are held at police headquarters, and charges will be lodged against John Bardzek and Frank Urbanek as the result of complaint made by Emil Banas that they attempted to smuggle away goods on which he had a mortgage. Sergeant Dwyer of the local department was chiefly instrumental

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SELLING BOOZE TO SOLDIERS

Judge Enright Says Hippers Meet Them at the Train

Just for That Cost of Illegal Keeping is Going Up

The high cost of illegally keeping liquor is going up in Lowell!

Judge Enright, in imposing $200 fines on Manuel Freitas and Manuel Hammum on this charge in the police court this morning, increased the usual stipend by $50. This action on the part of the court is an aftermath of the appearance recently of 19 soldiers from Camp Devens on charges of drunkenness. These men meet the soldiers as they step from the trains

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Visitor From Nashua Makes a Great Buy

Young Woman Comes Down From New Hampshire and Goes Back With a Bargain

A young woman from Nashua, N.H., came to Lowell Monday bargain hunting. Her first and only visit was made at the Merrimack Clothing Co., "across from City Hall," where the great "$20,000 Under Cost Sale" is going on.

Her intention was to make a purchase of a waist, but before she got through she had ordered a suit, coat and three waists. "And I would have bought more if I had more money with me," commented the visitor as she picked up her bundles preparatory to boarding her car homeward. "I not only saved my car fare, but the price of the waists. Wait until I tell my neighbors about these bargains."

She must have told them for the very next forenoon, three other women from up-state came into the Merrimack Clothing Co. and made extensive purchases in suits, waists and other garments. One woman bought a suit for her boy and announced that she was going to send her husband in Saturday. She figured that on her purchases alone she would save at least the price of one suit.

And so the story goes each day this wonder sale continues. Bargains never before known in Lowell, and never again, perhaps, are offered the buying public. Manager Mahoney has slashed prices unmercifully in the men's, women's and boys' clothing departments. It's not cost prices that are asked but way below them. The directors of the Merrimack Clothing Co. voted to accept a loss of $20,000 on the cost of merchandise for this sale and the public is the beneficiary. Don't miss your share. If you do you'll regret it. No charges, no memos, no exchanges. All sales final—Adv.

Three Alleged Slayers of David Tallen Held for Murder in the First Degree

LIONEL THEBERGE

ALFRED FORTIER

EMILE THEBERGE

Alfred Fortier, Emile Theberge and Lionel Theberge were indicted today for murder in the first degree and also for robbery, by a special grand jury session called by District Attorney Nathan A. Tufts at Cambridge, to consider their cases. Tomorrow, the district attorney will appear before the court and move that a date be set for the trial of the men, who are accused of having slain David N. Tallen, a Middlesex street storekeeper. Officer Joseph Clark, who arrested Fortier, Superintendent Welch, Lieutenant Petrie and other members of the local police department who participated in the arrest of the defendants, were among the witnesses who testified in connection with the crime.

BARRE, Vt., Feb. 3.—Mrs. Henry Martell died at Rochester today, making the ninth victim of the fire which destroyed the Martell home in that town Tuesday. A daughter, Ada, aged 12, died yesterday afternoon, and a baby yesterday morning. A public memorial service will be held at the G.A.R. hall in Rochester tomorrow at 10 o'clock, with only three bodies present, the remains of the others being almost completely burned, only a few charred bones remaining.

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Business—The Election of Two Directors, Treasurer, Clerk and Auditor. Action on the Semi-Annual Report. General Business.
Per order,
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STATE OWNED INDUSTRIES

N. D. Industrial Commission Report Shows Net Profits of $116,427.75

BISMARCK, N. D., Feb. 3.—The annual report of the state industrial commission, submitted to the legislature yesterday showed net profits of all state-owned and operated industries, $116,427.75 up to Jan. 1 last.

The net profit of the Bank of North Dakota was given as $175,995.50.

The Drake Mill and Elevator association showed a loss of $17,663.31.

"The experience with the Drake mill has demonstrated," the report said, "that even with a small mill, expensive to operate, the farmer can be paid a price for his wheat higher than the market at elevators. In a large, modern equipped mill, such as is being constructed at Grand Forks, vastly better returns are positively assured."

The commission criticizes the Ninth District Federal Bank of Minneapolis, "which," the report says, "forced vast amounts of liquidation within the state of North Dakota at a time when it was extending further credit to other sections in the same district.

"The reserve bank also refused to extend credit to enable the farmer to hold his crop for a reasonable price at the same time that it was extending credits in such a manner that the milling interests of the Twin Cities were enabled to use those credits to hold the same crop after it got into their hands."

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Traffic Club Meeting Tomorrow Evening—Boy Scout Commissioners Will Meet This Evening—Other Meetings

On Friday evening in the chamber of commerce rooms the Traffic club will hold a meeting. It will combine business and pleasure. H. B. Bevan, chairman of the entertainment committee has arranged an entertainment program which will be a great pleasure a surprise to the members of the club. Several applications for membership will be considered.

The Traffic club was organized to promote the commerce of Lowell, to act as an agency for the interchange of information and the discussion of traffic matters among its members, to work for the improvement of general transportation facilities and to promote good fellowship among the members and transportation fraternity. Any person who has charge of or is actively engaged in traffic or transportation matters may become a member by making application with the secretary.

This evening the Boy Scout commissioners of the chamber will hold a meeting at 7:30 o'clock and the Retail Bakers and Grocers' association will meet at 8 o'clock.

Since the Boy Scout executive in this city gave up his position the chamber of commerce commissioners have taken it upon themselves to handle the details of the local scout organization and are doing their utmost to keep the Lowell councils on a firm basis.

We strive to make this a store where your ideas of Merchandise and Service are realized.

The Bon Marché DRY GOODS CO.

QUEEN QUALITY SHOES FOR WOMEN

REGAL SHOES FOR MEN

Street Floor, Near Kirk Street Entrance

AFTER STOCK-TAKING SALE

WE HAVE TAKEN OUR STOCKS AND BIG REDUCTIONS HAVE BEEN TAKEN. WE HAVE PUT ON PRICES THAT WILL MAKE VALUES BELOW ANYTHING YOU HAVE SEEN IN A LONG TIME.

The next ten days will be hummers if good values count. Suits reduced, Coats reduced, Dresses reduced, Pyle Fabric Coats reduced, Skirts reduced—and tremendous reductions have been taken on all our Infants' and Children's Wear, also all Flannelette Robes, Skirts and Bloomers.

FUR TRIMMED COATS

$19.50, $25, $29.50, $35 to $79.50

We have made some wonderful purchases in fur trimmed coats in bolivia, suedine and velour with Australian opossum, nutria, raccoon and beaver collars. All silk lined and well tailored. These prices will not pay for the material.

SECOND FLOOR

FUR TRIMMED SUITS

$25.00, $29.50, $39.50

Fur trimmed and tailored suits, made of salon, velour and duvi de laine. Many of them trimmed with the finest fur collars of Australian opossum, nutria and mole, all custom tailored, hand made suits. AT LESS THAN ONE-HALF PRICE.

SECOND FLOOR

PYLE FABRIC COATS

SALTS FINEST FUR FABRIC COATS

$39.50, $49.50, $59.50 to $98.50

Including Bay seal, Hudson seal, Bearing seal with heavy silk pyle that looks better than most fur coats. These coats are about half price.

SECOND FLOOR

FUR COATS

We have taken big reductions on all our fur coats at stock-taking.

MARMOT, raccoon trimmed. Now..... **$125.00**
RACCOON, best quality. Now..... **$189.50**
HUDSON SEAL. Now **$189.50**
NEARSEAL, Skunk collar and cuffs. Now **$189.50**

SECOND FLOOR

WONDERFUL DRESSES

$12.50, $19.50, $25.00, $29.50

Our entire stock of satin, tricotine, serge and panne velvet dresses at tremendous reductions and many new dresses bought at a part of their real value.

SECOND FLOOR

CHILDREN'S WEAR

Everything in children's wear at big reductions. We have taken enormous markdowns in this department, and many things are at way below replacement prices. Children's coats, children's dresses, children's bonnets, in fact everything in infants' and children's wear is at bargain prices.

SECOND FLOOR

WAISTS

Over fifteen thousand dollars' worth of finest waists marked at special values for the next two weeks. Georgette, Pongee, Crepe de Chine, Wash Satin, and Hand-Made Waists.

$3.98 Tailored Waists—Now..... **$2.49**
$4.98 Waists—Now **$2.98**
$6.98 to $7.98 Waists—Now..... **$4.98**
$7.50 to $9.50 Waists—Now..... **$5.98**
$2.50 Waists—Now **$1.65**

SECOND FLOOR

WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY SPECIALS

WOMEN'S MERCERIZED LISLE HOSE—Full fashioned, double soles and high spliced heels, in black and cordovan. Special at ..... **$1.00** Pair

CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS—In black ribbed cotton, reinforced heels and toes. Regular prices 39¢ and 45c. Special at ..... **25¢** Pair

WOMEN'S HEAVY WEIGHT SILK HOSE—Full fashioned, double soles and high spliced heels, black, gray, mouse, cordovan, medium brown and navy. Regular price $3.00. Special at..... **$2.00** Pair

WOMEN'S PURE SILK HOSE—Also silk and fibre mixed, regular and outsizes, some with ribbed tops, seamed back, double soles and high spliced heels. Regular price $2.00. Special at ..... **$1.00** Pair

STREET FLOOR

NEW MILLINERY FOR IMMEDIATE WEAR

SMART SAILORS, with very narrow brims, are most becoming and popular for immediate wear. The crowns are of batavia, hemp and lisere, with brims of georgette crepe and batavia. Many flowers and tailored bows are used for trimmings. ALL SPRING COLORINGS. Priced **$6.50 and $7.50**

Almost Daily We Receive Shipments of the Very Newest Ideas in Spring Millinery—Satins and straws—faille silk, cellophone—all straws and flower hats of the better styles. There are no two hats alike. Priced **$7.50 to $18.00**

WOMEN'S KNIT UNDERWEAR

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS—Mercerized, medium weight lisle, band top, sleeveless, knee and ankle length, flesh and white, regular and outsizes; regular price $1.50. Special at **$3.00**

WOMEN'S VESTS—Mercerized, medium weight lisle, low neck, sleeveless, band top, regular and outsizes; regular price $2.50. Special at..... **$1.50**

WOMEN'S SILK AND WOOL UNION SUITS—Low neck and sleeveless, Dutch neck, elbow sleeves, high neck, long sleeves, knee and ankle length; regular prices $5.00 and $5.50. Special at.... **$3.00, $3.50**

WOMEN'S SILK AND WOOL VESTS—With tights to match, regular and outsizes; regular prices $3.00 and $3.25. Special at ..... **$1.75, $2.00** Gar.

STREET FLOOR

JEWELRY SPECIALS

Genuine Shell Cameo Brooch, gold filled mountings, safety catch; regular value $1.50. Friday and Saturday **$1.98**

Graduated Red Rock Opera Beads, torpedo clasp; regular price $1.59. Friday and Saturday **$1.29**

Oxidized Silver Bag Tops, chain handle, assorted shapes and sizes; regular prices $1.00 and $1.50. Friday and Saturday ..... **69¢**

Graduated Pearl Opera Beads, solid gold clasps; regular price $1.00. Friday and Saturday ..... **59¢**

White Metal Bar Pins, set with white stones, colored centres, variety of patterns; regular price $1.00. Friday and Saturday ..... **59¢**

Snap Cuff Links, pearl center, nickel silver rims; regular price 50c. Friday and Saturday ..... **19¢**

Shell Goods Specials

CASQUE COMBS—Mounted with colored and white stones; regular price $2.00. Friday and Saturday..... **$1.50**

PLAIN CARVED SPANISH COMBS—In shell and demi; regular prices $1.00 and $1.50. Friday and Saturday **89¢**

ALUMINUM BARRETTES Set with rhinestones, steel tongue and catch; regular price 65c. Friday and Saturday ..... **49¢**

Leather Goods Specials

Real Leather Bags—In grey, brown and tan, long strap top handle; regular price $1.00. Friday and Saturday **$2.79**

Persian Leather Purses—Black and colors; regular price $3.00. Friday and Saturday **$1.98**

Black and Colored Leather Purses—Regular price $1.00. Friday and Saturday ..... **50¢**

Velvet Bags—In all colors; regular prices $2.00 and $2.25. Friday and Saturday **$1.00**

Velvet Beds—In brown, blue and black; regular price $4.00. Friday and Saturday **$2.00**

Black Leather Music Cases—Top strap handles; regular price $4.50. Friday and Saturday **$3.00**

ST. MICHAEL'S GLEE CLUB

Scores Another Triumph—Minstrel Show and Dance at Associate Hall

Whenever any organization of St. Michael's church presents a public entertainment, young and old of the parish are out in large numbers in support of it and it is always a success. Another instance to confirm this fact was the unprecedented success attending the offering by St. Michael's Glee club in Associate hall last night, of minstrelsy and melody and songs of olden days. The entertainment really took the form of a reunion of all the members of the parish and terms of appreciation were heard on all sides.

Earnest preparation had been put into the show so that every number was well nigh perfect when rehearsed before the public last evening. Frank J. Delgnan, musical director, and William Paul McCarthy, accompanist, were the originators of the show and it was to a great extent due to their efforts that it met with such patronage and success.

There was such a large crowd in attendance that it was some time after the show that the hall was cleared for general dancing, which followed until near midnight. One of the features of the entertainment was the jocosity of the end men, Ernest J. Ready, Thomas A. Grourke, Charles P. Kilbride and Francis Jelly, which thus gave the show more the atmosphere of a minstrel show.

In the three numbers of the opening chorus, Frank Delgnan, musical director, used eleven of his violin students in augmenting the orchestral music and thus put the first number across with great vim. The violinists were Paul Quinn, Thomas Pendergast, John Casserly, Thomas Delgnan, William Harrington, Francis Green, Raymond Whelton, Blanche O'Riley, Christina Brick, Mary Conlon and Ruth McLaughlin.

The three character songs and dances offered by Miss Peggy O'Riley, well known in this city from her appearance in various other high class entertainments, made a decided hit. Miss Peggy is one of the musical Riley family under which name she and her sisters are known. During the various war-time drives in this city Miss Peggy lent her assistance by singing dainty little war songs in the local theatres. Another number deserving particular mention was that by McGrail and Walker in songs and dances McGrail sang "Palesteena" very effectively and Walker contributed the solo "Caresses."

The program of the evening was as follows:

End men: Ernest J. Ready, Thomas A. Grourke, "Duffy," Charles P. Kilbride; "Sweeney," Francis Jelly.
Prologue—"Old Black Joe."
Opening chorus:
(a) "Whispering"
(b) "Feather Your Nest"
(c) "Rose of My Heart"
Entire Chorus
"The Argentines"
"Sweeney"
"When You Were Sweet Sixteen"
Katherine Cunningham
"The Profiteers, They Won't Leave Me Along"
"Duffy"
"Old Pal, Why Don't You Answer Me"
Thomas Carlin
"My Dixie Rose"
Ernest J. Ready
Melodies That Never Grow Old:
"Carry Me Back to Old Virginny"
"Sweet Adeline"
"Sunshine of Paradise Alley"
Entire Chorus
Songs and dances:
"Ding Toes"
"My Gee Gee From the Fiji Isles"
"My Mammy"
Peggy O'Riley of Stanton's Dancing School
"Down on the Bamboo Isle"
Thomas A. Grourke
"When You and I Were Young, Maggie". (By request)
Martin H. Maguire and selections by Honey Boy Quartette
Revue: Songs and Dances
McGrail and Walker
"Mocking Bird"—Whistling solo
James Kennedy
"I Had a Gal, I Had a Pal"
James Delgnan
"My Wild Irish Rosa"
George F. Lynch
Closing chorus:
"The Bells of St. Mary's"
"Tara"
Entire Chorus

George F. Lynch was the interlocutor and he put a great deal of pep and fun into the pranks of his end men. The officers of the dance were: James Mullin, general manager; James Duddy, Herbert Kenyon, assistants; Francis Ready, floor director; John Flannery, John J. Coughlin, chief aids.

REV. DANIEL A. BARRY

Former Lowell Priest Active in Formation of K. of C. Council in Colorado

Rev. Daniel A. Barry, formerly of this city and now pastor of St. Patrick's church, Holly, Col., gave the invocation and hearty welcome at the institution of the first K. of C. council at that place recently. It was a red letter day for Holly, says The Lamar Daily News, and one of the most interesting initiations in Colorado for many years.

A special train was chartered by the Holly council and all members and their friends were taken to the famous Harvey house at Syracuse, Kansas, where a banquet was served. Nearly 300 people sat at the banquet table.

In the story of the event which occupies more than a column in the Lamar paper it is stated that much credit is due Fr. Barry, "through whose live wire work the council was formed."

Rev. Fr. Barry is a brother of Mr. Michael Barry of Pawtucketville and has another brother, John Barry, located in Connecticut.

HOLD SALES CONVENTION

Representatives of Various Gas and Electric Light Companies Meet Here

Men attending the sales convention of various gas and electric light companies of New England, held here today and to continue all day tomorrow, arrived in this city shortly before noon today. All arrangements for the visitors were attended to by C. W. Halstead, F. H. Jones, and P. J. Wilson of the local Electric Light corporation, they themselves, representing their own company.

Among the out-of-town men here for the convention and who will be booked at local hotels this evening are: Parker Allen, R. T. Phillips, Abington, Mass., Harry Smith, Charles Buckingham, Brockton; W. K. Eavenson, Fall River; W. R. Bell, C. D. Roberts, Haverhill; C. L. Kebbe, New London, Conn.; R. Buckminster, H. J. Pettengill, C. H. Hilton, R. H. Perley, Pawtucket, R. I.; S. E. Choquette, M. Wheelock, Woonsocket, R. I.

At noon today the men gathered at the Yorick club for lunch and early in the afternoon they visited the Bay State Cotton corporation for a tour of the plant. Among local men in the electrical business it is the general opinion that the Bay State Cotton corporation is one of the best electrically equipped establishments in this section of the country. It is understood that the plant has many features and improvements which are of interest to the men attending the convention. Later in the afternoon the men visited the Textile school.

The convention is a social or get-together meeting similar to those held previously in other cities and which representatives of Lowell concerns have attended. Although many of the details of the convention are in the hands of the officials of the electric light corporation the headquarters for the men is really at the rooms of the chamber of commerce.

HARDING BOAT DELAYED

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla., Feb. 3.—Delayed by channel obstructions, President-elect Harding's houseboat Victoria pushed her way slowly northward in the Indian river today on the second leg of her cruise back to St. Augustine. Her captain expected to reach Palm beach by late afternoon.

At Palm beach Mr. Harding probably will play golf and have dinner at a private home.

The Arabs regard whistling as the most unlucky sound that can emanate from human lips.

Cypress and walnut, when used in contact, cause each other to rot.

PALMER SUED FOR MAN'S DEATH

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Suit for $350,000 against Atty. Gen. Palmer and Anthony Caminetti, commissioner general of immigration was filed in the district supreme court yesterday in behalf of Mrs. Mary M. Marcinak, of Passaic, N. J., the case arising out of the arrest and subsequent death of her husband during the "red raids" in January, 1920.

Allegation is made that the Marcinak home was forcibly entered, searched and papers removed as a result of a conspiracy between the two officials; that Marcinak was held in jail first, then at Ellis island without adequate care or medical attention, due to which his death resulted. It was further averred that Marcinak was not a member of the communist party or any other association opposed to organized government and that his death had left his wife with two small children to support, necessitating work that undermined her health.

LADIES' DAY AT THE COURT HOUSE

This was ladies' day at the court house, in Gorham street, or at least that is the way Clerk William C. Dillingham of the superior court looked at it, for during the forenoon there were no less than 25 members of the fair sex, who called to file their first naturalization papers.

Mr. Dillingham arrived at the court house shortly before 10 o'clock and upon his arrival he found more than two score of women awaiting him. All had their applicatin blanks filled even the space which pertains to the age of the applicant and they all promised to be on hand when the time comes for them to file their second papers. About twenty men also filed first and second papers today. Mr. Dillingham will return to this city tomorrow.

Claim Movies Give Offence

Continued

ist between the United States and China.

The Mayor a Yankee

Mayor Thompson in reply called attention to the fact that other nationalities are caricatured on the films and called attention to the fact that the Yankee is usually pictured as a bucolic individual, with trousers tucked into cowhide boots, and with uncouth manners, and then said that he is a Yankee and asked his audience if he looked very much like the stage Yankee.

During his audience with the delegation the mayor told of his long and intimate association with the Chinese of Lowell, and of the pleasant relations that had always existed between himself and representatives of the race.

He referred to the fact that he and his father had become intimately acquainted years ago with Charles Lee, one of the early Chinese to make his home in this city, and of the assistance he was able to render him when he returned for a time for a visit to his Chinese home and then found difficulty in entering the United States again.

The mayor complimented the members of the delegation on their facility in using the English language, and said it was remarkable how quickly they had picked up the vernacular.

To Study Conditions

In conclusion, he asked them to study conditions in America, and said "our ways are not so bad as they are sometimes painted."

Previous to meeting the mayor the members of the delegation were taken for a tour of inspection of the different departments in city hall. They arrived just too late for a view of the municipal council in session, but the way in which it functions was carefully explained to them. Some of them seemed to be surprised that all of the business of the council is transacted in public.

In conversation with the newspapermen they said that they all attended church in Lowell, and said that China was a land of many religions and religious tolerance, and disavowed that they were Christians.

Attack on Big Scale

Continued

police between Burgada and Rosscarbery, according to reports from police sources today. The attacking party was beaten off after a fierce fight abandoning a quantity of ammunition.

The police, the reports declare, sustained no casualties.

The attack was on an elaborate scale the accounts state. The Sinn Feiners had as a base the house of Magistrate King, which they had commandeered the previous night and they attacked from the surrounding grounds. The police returned their fire and the battle raged until the arrival of military and police reinforcements when the attacking party was routed. The house was badly damaged.

The official announcement says that 20 policemen were attacked by 500 "rebels" who contemplated an attack on the Royal Irish Constabulary barracks at Rosscarbery. The previous day, adds the account, the Sinn Feiners took possession of the magistrate's house and imprisoned his family, and also the Dean of Ross, all of whom were badly treated.

LORRY BLOWN UP

DUBLIN, Feb. 3—Four men are dead as a result of an ambush of a squad of auxiliary police at Fallsinalee, near here, yesterday, two of the wounded having died late last night. One of two motor lorries was blown up by a mine set in a road. It is said that this was the first time such a method of attack had been used against crown forces in Ireland.

Three lorries loaded with police were attacked here last night, several bombs being thrown at them. The officers on board returned the fire, two civilians being wounded. A constable in plain clothes who was cycling along Trinity street was shot dead during the evening.

Lord Dunsany on Trial

DUBLIN, Feb. 3.—Lord Dunsany, poet and playright, who was arrested when search of Dunsany castle, in County Meath, disclosed several shotguns and other sporting arms will be tried by court martial at the Kilmainham court house tomorrow. The charge against him is keeping firearms and ammunition not under effective military control.

$8.00 Plaid Skirts for....$4.98
$15.00 Plaid Skirts for....$7.77

RIALTO

$10.00 Tuxedo Sweaters, $5.77
$5.00 All Wool Skirts...$3.77

After Stock-Taking Sale

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY WILL BE BARGAIN DAYS AT THE RIALTO

If You Are Interested in Garments at Prices Lower Than They Have Been for Years, Then You Will Be Well Repaid If You Purchase at This Price Slashing Sale.

Ladies' and Misses' Smart

DRESSES

$9.77

Your Choice of Tricotines, Serges, Velours and Velour Checks, in the season's newest styles, all colors.

READY FRIDAY AT 9 A. M.

FUR COATS

We intend to close out the balance of our Fur Coats, Scarfs and Muffs in the next few days at slashed prices, the greatest bargains ever.

$350.00 FRENCH SEAL COAT, with skunk or marten collar and cuffs, for $195.00
$250.00 RACCOON COAT $179.50
$179.00 MARMOT COAT, raccoon collar and cuffs, $89.50
$125.00 PLAIN MARMOT COATS for $69.50
$250.00 MUSKRAT COATS for $169.00
$179.00 LEOPARD COATS for $89.50
$200.00 NEARSEAL COATS for $98.50
$175.00 NATURAL LYNX COATS for $79.50
$100.00 BLACK PONY COATS for $57.50

FUR SCARFS AND MUFFS To Close Out at Prices Below Cost to Make.

CLOTH COATS

OUT GOES THE BALANCE AT SACRIFICE PRICES

$30.00 COATS for $15.77
$35.00 COATS for $19.77
$45.00 COATS for $24.77
$60.00 COATS for $37.77
$30.00 SHORT PLUSH COATS for $14.77
$3.00 TIE-BACK SWEATERS for $1.98

SUITS

$25.00 LADIES' AND MISSES' SUITS $15.77
$35.00 LADIES' AND MISSES' SUITS $19.77
$50.00 LADIES' AND MISSES' SUITS $24.77
$70.00 LADIES' AND MISSES' SUITS $29.77

WAISTS

$1.50 WAISTS AND CAMISOLES ..... 77¢
$3.00 SILK AND LINGERIE WAISTS $1.37
$4.00 SILK AND LINGERIE WAISTS $2.37
$7.00 GEORGETTE AND CREPE DE CHINE WAISTS, $4.77

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE
$20,000 Stock of the

CORNOCK SHOE STORE

64 MIDDLESEX ST.
Near Washington Bank

Consisting of a Fine Line of Up-to-Date Men's, Women's and Children's

BOOTS, SHOES AND RUBBERS

Absolutely No Attention Paid to the Cost. Our Loss Your Gain.

Friday—Children's Day—Bring the Children in and Get Three Pairs of Shoes for the Price of One

Misses' Shoes ..... 98¢ Up
Gun Metal High Cut Shoes...$1.69
Growing Girls' Black and Brown High Cut Shoes ..... $2.19 Up
Oxfords $1.98
Boys' High Cut Storm Boots...$1.98
School Shoes $1.59
Children's Rubbers ..... 70¢

COMPLETE STOCK OF RUBBERS, RUBBER BOOTS AND OVERSHOES AT UNHEARD OF PRICES

WOMEN'S SHOES That sold from $4 to $6 $1.25

MEN'S SHOES That sold from $6 to $12 $3.79

NOTHING RESERVED—NO EXCHANGES OR REFUNDS—OPEN EVERY EVENING UNTIL 9

ASKANYONETHATGOTAPAIROFSHOESATTHISSALE

Suitable Frocks for Morning, Noon And Night of the Week-End Visit

Almost every woman likes to keep on hand an outfit suitable for a week-end trip.

Here is a worth-while suggestion from "Cornered," at the Astor theatre in New York.

The sports costume with its sleeveless bandeau of white pique, plaid skirt of tan and brown and tan sweater, answers for forenoon.

The quaint, big-flowered silk with its velvet ribbon girdle and feather fan hanging from it, its clusters of velvet-centered chiffon roses and its odd turned-back shoulder sleeves that really are not sleeves at all, but "caps," is an appropriate frock for any evening affair. Both of these are worn by Natalie Manning.

Then for afternoons there is Madge Kennedy's frock of dark blue satin. It would be attractive also in tricotine or serge. This one has a foundation of fine batiste.

With these three frocks any week-end visit anywhere ought to be entirely successful, at least from the clothes point of view.

North Adams' Oldest Official Resigns

NORTH ADAMS, Feb. 3.—After supervising 10,000 burials in 36 years as city sexton, J. Henry Orr has resigned. He was rated as the oldest city official. John H. Orr, father of the retiring sexton, was the previous incumbent of the office for 25 years.

Appeal for Work for Unemployed

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—In a drive to obtain work for the increasing number of jobless, a committee on social agencies today mailed to thousands of householders in this city the following appeal:

"Does your kitchen or cellar need whitening?"

"Do your windows need washing?"

"Are your bells out of order?"

"Help yourself, the community and a man out of a job by having these things attended to now."

Fell 16 Stories, Sprained Little Finger

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Nathan Cohen, structural iron worker, who plunged from the top of a new 16-story building in Broadway yesterday, reported for work today. His fall through space was broken by a heavy canvas debris receptacle stretched from the fifth tier. His little finger was sprained.

DECIDES TO TELL FACTS TO PEOPLE OF LOWELL

Feels That Entire City Should Fight Against the Terrible Torture

Prominent Business Man Expresses His Appreciation Over Toxo Treatment

"The reason that I'm telling you this is because of this little friend," said a prominent business man as he held up a little package. We smiled, for we were happy to see the thing he displayed was a box of Toxo, the wonderful treatment for constipation and indigestion.

"As I was walking along the street the other day," continued the business man, "I had seven of my friends stop me and remark how well I was looking. And every time I had to laugh to myself for the secret was the little Toxo treatment package in my pocket.

"When I recall how wretched I was and the misery I went through, all due to constipation and stomach trouble, I really believe that it's a horrible dream. I was all run down and tired out. My face was pale and I felt nervous and haggard. My bowels were out of order and my breath was so bad I feared to go near any of my friends.

I had terrible headaches and felt sharp, hot pains in my stomach and chest and it seemed as if I had suffered for years until I commenced using Toxo. It wasn't but a short time before that I was myself again, my bowels were working in good shape and everywhere I went people spoke of how well I looked. I've made up my mind to tell the secret to all my friends so that they may enjoy the wonders of Toxo treatment—whether it be for constipation, indigestion of other stomach ills or liver."

Toxo as a treatment for constipation or indigestion—as well as any stomach trouble, has done wonders ever since it has been offered to the public. It formerly was prepared only for the personal use of thousands of doctors all over the country. You now need no prescription to buy it. Simply get it at Dows' Drug stores on Merrimack street by asking for Toxo. It is pleasant to take and mild in action. Keep it in the house at all times.—Adv.

YOUNGEST JAZZ DRUMMER

Here's the world's youngest jazz drummer. He is Michael Howe, aged 8, of San Francisco, and he challenges all comers. In a personal letter he says: "I've seen some papers raving about a champion child organist, chess player and linguist and I'd like to know why I'm left out." All right, Mike, here you are.

LOWELL CHAUFFEURS' DANCE

A well attended dancing party was held in Lincoln hall last evening. The affair was conducted under the auspices of the Lowell chauffeurs and was a success in every way. Concert numbers were given in the early part of the evening and later general dancing was started and continued till a seasonable hour. The officers for the evening were: Edward L. McSweeney, general manager; J. A. Lutender, assistant general manager; Robert Soutter, floor director.

Of Mexico's total mineral production, exclusive of oil, $90,000,000, only a third has been exported and only two-fifths worked.

NAVAL APPROPRIATION

Half Billion Needed to Complete Building Program Started in 1916

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Nearly half a billion dollars will be required to complete the great naval building program embarked upon in 1916 the house appropriations committee estimated yesterday in reporting the naval appropriation bill for the fiscal year 1922. The committee said that while the total cost of completing the program was originally placed at $544,000,000, increased cost of materials and labor probably would increase the total to $972,931,000, of which $585,270,000 has been appropriated.

The bill reported yesterday which carries a total of $293,694,444.23, provides $90,000,000 for continuing construction next year.

"This amount," the accompanying report stated, "will allow the work to be prosecuted during the coming fiscal year about as rapidly as it has been possible to proceed thus far in the current fiscal year."

The 1916 program authorized 156 ships. Many of these have been completed, but 17 battleships and battle cruisers and a number of auxiliaries are still under construction.

The bill as it reached the house yesterday carried $37,715,129.77 less than the amount requested by the navy department. Besides the cut in the enlisted personnel of the navy from 143,000 to 100,000 heretofore announced, the committee also cut the marine corps from 27,400 to 20,000 enlisted men. No reduction, however, will be made in the number of officers in either branch of the service.

A force of 100,000 men, the committee said, would be sufficient to keep at least 251 vessels in operation or 32 more than were in the entire navy in 1916. The appropriation for aviation is $6,913,451, a reduction of $28,086,569 from estimates and $13,086,000 less than was appropriated for this year.

An appropriation of $550,000 for work on yards and stations on the Atlantic and Gulf coasts is recommended, while $4,957,000 is proposed for yards on the Pacific coast and in Hawaii. No provision is made for the yard at Portsmouth, N. H., for the naval station at Guam. For the latter the navy department recommended $1,400,000.

INCOME TAX RETURN IMPORTANT DOCUMENT

"Your income tax is an important document, Mr. Taxpayer, and great care should be taken in preparing it," cautions John J. Mitchell, collector of internal revenue, recalling the different penalties that may be imposed through the omission or wilful evasion of a taxable item and the impropriety of guessing at the amounts set forth.

"The return is sent to Washington and audited, after which it becomes a permanent record which may be referred to a month or a year later, and should any error be discovered at that time the accrual of penalties will make quite a heavy sum.

"You can see how it affects a big income by the experience of a concern not very long ago. They made a return in 1917 which was not audited until 1919 when it was found that they should be assessed on an additional $300,000. When the case was finally settled they had to pay interest of one per cent. per month, or 36 per cent., plus five per cent. of the amount due. It cost them something for their carelessness.

"Some taxpayers might be inclined to take deductions to which they are not entitled or to omit some item which is taxable. When the return is audited, whether it be a month, a year, or three years as in the other case, the interest charges are applied and the sum reaches a pretty large amount by the time settlement is made.

"If it is found that the omissions are made wilfully, with an intent to evade the tax, then in addition to the usual penalties there is levied an assessment of 50 per cent. of the tax evaded besides the possibility of imprisonment.

"All returns are verified eventually and every item carefully scrutinized in the audit. Taxpayers should bear this in mind so that in case it is necessary to refer to their returns sometime later they should be ready to account for each amount and to explain all deductions claimed by them."

K. OF C. GLEE CLUB

So successful were the efforts of the members of the Knights of Columbus in their recent minstrel show for the benefit of the K. of C. guild that it has been decided to form a glee club. The quality of the show presented for the guild gives ample proof that there is excellent material in the organization for one of the best glee clubs in the city. Most of the young men who participated in the K. of C. minstrel show will join the glee club. The following were appointed to make preliminary arrangements for the club: James P. Molloy, chairman; William F. Thornton, William Earley, John D. Hart, John F. Roane, Jr., and John Coyne. The services of Andrew A. McCarthy have been secured as musical director. The first rehearsal will be next Sunday afternoon.

LAWRENCE A.A. CLUB

At the next meeting of the Lawrence A.A., Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, the final reports of the recent drawing contest will be read. Routine business was transacted at the last meeting of the club in its quarters at 45 North street. The officers of the club are: Frank Sullivan, president; James Callahan, vice president; Albert Lowney, treasurer; Thomas Elmer, secretary.

EXTRA CAR SUNDAY

The residents of Tewksbury are much pleased with the additional electric car that is being operated between the town and this city Sunday mornings. The car leaves Lowell at 7.15 a. m., is due in Wamesit at 8 a. m., Tewksbury Centre at 8.05 and Foster's turnout at 8.15. The car returns to Lowell, leaving Foster's turnout at 8.15, arriving at the Centre at 8.25, at Wamesit at 8.33 and at Merrimack square at 8.45.

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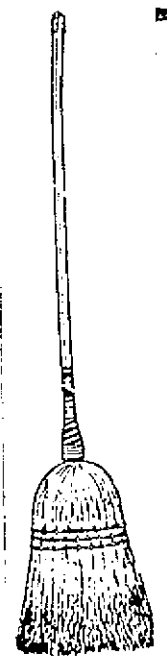

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These Are Lowell Cases:

WALNUT STREET

Alex. Paterson, baker, 31 Walnut street, says: "Kidney trouble kept me miserable for some time. My back ached and I could hardly stoop while at my work. It was just as hard for me to straighten up. My kidneys acted irregularly, too. I used of Doan's Kidney Pills and got a supply, using them as directed. They rid me of the backaches and kidney trouble."

WASHINGTON STREET

Mrs. L. W. Cather, 67 Washington street, says: "My kidneys were weak. I was in a run down condition, had no energy and felt dull and languid, especially mornings. I was dizzy at times and had nervous headaches. My kidneys didn't act regularly. I used Doan's Kidney Pills, getting them at Steeves' Drug Store, and my health soon improved. I felt strong and my kidneys acted normally. Doan's helped me wonderfully. I seldom have need of a kidney remedy as Doan's Kidney Pills have about cured me."

B STREET

John Lorrain, 99 B street, says: "I was troubled a lot with my back. There was a steady pain in the small part and it was very weak and sore, and stiff at times, especially if I bent over or did any lifting. At times the kidney secretions were scanty and caused much annoyance. They were also highly colored. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me and I might say they have cured me, for it has been some time since I have had any trouble."

LINCOLN STREET

Mrs. R. Durkin, 54 Lincoln street, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have been used in my family for years. When my kidneys were out of order, I had dull backaches and felt tired out, and my kidneys didn't act right at all. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they soon relieved the backaches and other signs of kidney trouble. I have had no return symptoms of the complaint since."

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IN THE POLICE COURT

Woman Told Court Father Threatened to Kill Her—Other Cases

Charges that her father seized her by the throat and threatened to kill her were made this morning in the police court by Mrs. Frank E. Evarts, who preferred non-support charges against her husband. It was testified, however, that Evarts had recently been paying the stipend set by the court for his wife and two children.

The father of Mrs. Evarts refused to have her at his home any longer "keeping the house in an uproar." He denied using violence on her, stated that she had never paid him a single dollar since she was born, and charged that she destroyed crockery in fits of emotion.

Agent Richardson, of the Lowell Humane society, was sent for by the court, to arrange to care for the woman, whose husband has no place to take her.

Used Vile Language

Willis E. Whitely and Charles M. Welch drew suspended jail sentences, and James M. Valleiy was placed in the care of the probation officer for six months, today in the police court when it was testified that they had been drunk and were using vile language in the public street, with women and children passing.

The officer who made the arrest stated that he had tried to calm the trio, who were making nuisances of themselves after having apparently procured and disposed of some Jamaica ginger. They would not be pacified, however, and so they were taken to the station house.

This is Whiteley's fourth offence within a year, and he was warned by Judge Enright that another lapse would mean the reformatory. Welch has been arrested once before for drunkenness, and consequently got two months in the house of correction, with a suspension. Welch didn't recall "saying anything out of the way," when questioned as to alleged filthy conversation.

Abused His Family

Peter St. George, charged with drunkenness, "wanted to lick his wife and kids" whenever he had been drinking liquor, it was testified in the police court today.

"Did he ever lick anyone outside of his own family?" questioned Judge Enright.

"No, he has made all kinds of threats, but has never touched anyone except his wife and children," answered the officer who made the arrest.

The case was continued, and St. George was held in $500 bonds. Judge Enright stated that he wished to look into the matter more thoroughly. "I think the man is insane from the use of liquor," he declared.

Dry Goods at Police Station

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in capturing the merchandise, going to Lawrence and finding the goods being loaded into a truck headed for Haverhill. He ordered the chauffeur to drive to Lowell instead.

Banas, who resides on Lakeview avenue, tells the following story of events leading up to the seizure. He says that on December 14 he sold his store to Bardzek and Urbanek for $13,000, receiving $6,000 in cash and accepting a mortgage on the stock of the establishment for the remainder. The agreement, he states, provided that he get $500 January 1, $1,000 February 1, and that the entire amount should be paid on or before March 14.

Bardzek and his partner, declares Banas, ran the business in the usual manner for a time, but held a sale during the last week in January for the stated purpose of securing money to pay the $1,000 due on the first day of February. They had given him $500 on January 1st, according to agreement.

Even after the sale, avers Banas, there remained from eight to ten thousand dollars' worth of merchandise in the store.

On Monday of this week Banas visited the store and found it locked. Going upstairs, where the partners lived, he found they were not at home. He then went down to the shop, and made the discovery that not more than $100 worth of goods were there. Even the cash register had been taken.

When Bardzek and Urbanek came in, the complainant says he inquired as to what had become of the several thousands of dollars worth of missing articles. According to his story, they replied that these had been sold. Banas states that he knew so large a quantity of dry goods could not have been disposed of within three days. He had been at the establishment that length of time ago and had found all the merchandise on hand.

He says that the two men then proposed to him that he discharge the mortgage without receiving any further compensation. Then, said they, they would open up business again. Banas declined to hear this proposal, and soon after consulted a lawyer and visited police headquarters, with the result that the department immediately started work on the case.

It was learned that the officer on the beat had seen two trucks loading in front of the store on Friday and Saturday nights. He took the name and number on each machine. Sergeant Dwyer then took up the case, and going to the store in company with two other officers found it, as he states, "closed out." He traced the vanished goods to Lawrence, and found them being loaded into a truck at the White Eagle Wholesale Grocery company on Medford street. He was told that the truck was taking the goods back to Lowell, but inquiries made of the chauffeur elicited the interesting information that the latter had been hired to drive to Haverhill. The proprietor of the place, states Sergeant Dwyer, claimed that he knew nothing of the goods, and merely wanted to get them out of the establishment. Sergeant Dwyer assisted him in this desire by having the merchandise sent direct to police headquarters, where Banas, together with his wife, called this morning and identified it. It is believed that some goods remain to be recovered, but the police are hot on the trail of these articles.

Bardzek and Urbanek have not been located as yet, but it is expected that they will be found shortly.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed of personal property given by John Bardzik and Frank Urbanek, both of Lowell, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, to Emil Banas, of Tewksbury, in said County, dated Dec. 14, 1920, and recorded in the Records of Mortgages of Personal Property in the Clerk's Office of the City of Lowell, Book 38, Page 15, will be sold at public auction for breach of the conditions of said mortgage on the premises where the personal property is now located—said premises being numbered 172 to 174 Lakeview avenue, in said Lowell, on Tuesday, the fifteenth day of February, A. D., 1921, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, the following goods and chattels, namely, all the dry goods, boots, shoes, small wares, toys, clothing, dresses and merchandise, including all stock, fixtures and personal property connected with the business conducted by said John Bardzik and Frank Urbanek and located in store at No. 172 to 174 Lakeview avenue, in said Lowell. Being the same conveyed to said John Bardzik and Frank Urbanek by Emil Banas by bill-of-sale dated Dec. 14, 1920.

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At C.M.A.C. Hall, Pawtucket Street. Game Called at 8.15

Selling Booze to Soldiers

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at Lowell," said the judge, "and sell them this vile stuff."

Officer Kivlan and the other members of the liquor squad raided an attic occupied by Rammum yesterday. They found two stills, nearly two gallons of moonshine, a keg containing 20 gallons of molasses and 150 gallons of mash. Illegally keeping liquor with intent to sell the same was the charge in Rammum's case.

Freitas, also an attic manufacturer, had his still in operation when the officers arrived with a search warrant. Two bottles half filled with "white lightning" were exhibited in court as part of the haul. These gave forth an aroma which permeated the courtroom with the savor of the forbidden thing. Kivlan testified that Freitas had told him these two bottles contained nothing but water.

Twenty gallons of mash were also unveiled at Freitas' attic, which is located on Hanover street.

The defendant told the court that he had set up his booze plant only that morning, intending merely to make enough liquor to satisfy his own cravings.

Officer Kivlan met this assertion by testifying that two other men were in the room at the time of the raid, and added that Freitas said he was making the hooch for himself and his friends.

Rushes Order for New Plant

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mayor, city solicitor and members of the board of health were present and discussed the question of granting a license. He said that the board of health is willing to co-operate with the council in acting on the matter. He said that it had been decided, in view of the uncertainty of the law on the subject, to have a license granted by both the board and the council. He said that a prompt hearing was desirable to expedite matters. He asserted that the board of health is willing to take a prompt inspection of the premises.

"As the members of the council will have to pass on the matter, wouldn't it be wise that we should make an inspection also?" asked Commissioner Marchand.

"I think it would," answered the mayor.

The order for a joint inspection tomorrow was then promptly passed.

An order was also passed giving the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway company permission to erect and maintain during the cold weather a telephone booth at the corner of East Merrimack and Prescott streets. The city solicitor was instructed to draw an agreement to be entered into by the city and the street railway company that will properly protect the interests of the city.

ATTACHMENTS FILED

The following attachments have been filed at the local registry of deeds office since the last were published: Emile A. Chagnon, Nashua, N. H., vs. James Skordoeres, alias, Lowell, action of contract, $600. Charles Varsamis, Lowell, vs. Michael and [illegible] mas, Lowell, action of contract, [illegible] William H. Bamford, Lowell, vs. James F. Boyle, Lowell, action of contract, $100.

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$6.50 BATH ROBES, At $3.50

$2 ELASTIC BELT APRONS $1.19

86 SERGE DRESSES, selling to $19.75. Choice $9

114 WARM WINTER COATS, sold to $27.50, At $12.50

DIES AS RESULT OF AUTO ACCIDENT

Frank Spinelli, aged 23 years and residing with his parents at 250 Quincy street, Dorchester, died late last night at St. John's hospital in this city as a result of injuries he received in an automobile accident, which occurred at Wilmington in the afternoon. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons in Market street, where this noon it was identified by the parents of the young man.

As far as could be learned, the accident occurred at a spot on the state highway in Wilmington near the entrance to Mulligan's grove and the machine which carried Spinelli and a companion, whose name could not be learned, crashed into a telegraph pole. The automobile was wrecked and Spinelli was seriously injured. He was rushed to St. John's hospital in another automobile. He passed away at about midnight.

Spinelli's companion, it is said, escaped without injuries and shortly after the accident he attempted to destroy the registration plates on the wrecked car. He objected to his companion being taken to a hospital, it is also stated, but later went to the hospital himself and gave the name of his companion as Michael Keylon of 51 Stanhope street, Boston. Spinelli had given his right name and address to the hospital authorities and this morning Undertaker O'Donnell got in touch with the Spinelli people who later identified the body as that of their son.

Mr. and Mrs. Spinelli stated this noon their son did not own a machine. They said he left their home at 5 o'clock yesterday morning and nothing was heard from him until this morning, when they were informed of the fatal accident. The death machine bore the registration, 131392.

The body of the unfortunate young man is at O'Donnell's, where it will be viewed later by Medical Examiner T. B. Smith, who spent the day in Cambridge, testifying before the grand jury in the Tallen murder case.

Spinelli leaves his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Spinelli; five brothers, Anthony, Michael, John, Peter and Joseph, and three sisters, Louise, Josephine and Anna, all of Dorchester.

REGAN BEFORE SUPREME COURT

City Solicitor William D. Reagan is in Boston today appearing before the supreme court in the case of Fred H. Rourke vs. Frank Hatchell. The suit involved the collection of back taxes alleged to be due the city. The case was decided in favor of the city in the [illegible] court and has been taken to the supreme bench on exceptions.

Forty-five hundred different models of motor cars have been manufactured since 1895.

HIRING TINSMITH AT CAMP DEVENS

The matter of investigating by the local post of the American Legion of the employment at Camp Devens by the utilities department of a man who was hired after he had been in this country only three days, came to a head this morning when Adjt. Robert Rutledge of the post received a communication from Brig.-Gen. Mark L. Hersey, commanding officer at the camp.

When the local officials of the legion learned of the employment at Camp Devens by the army authorities of a tinsmith who had been in this country only a few days and is not a citizen here, they started an investigation. The officers of the post did not think it proper that such a man should be given employment when there are so many ex-service men in this city out of work.

Adjt. Robert Rutledge immediately communicated with the commanding officer of the utilities department at the camp requesting an explanation. The reply received stated that the man had been employed after he had been in this country only a few days and that he was working satisfactorily. It also said that the commanding officer thought he was the only man available for the place at the time.

Not being satisfied with this answer, Adjt. Rutledge then wrote to General Hersey at the camp, enclosing previous communications with the utilities department.

Following is the reply received from Brig. Gen. Hersey:

Hq. U.S.A. Cantonment, Camp Devens, Mass., Jan. 31, 1921.
To Lowell Post American Legion:

1. It is a matter of record that in trying to fill this place we did communicate with the American Legion in Boston without success.

2. Mr. ———, while not an American soldier, saw four years' service in the British army in the last war, three of which were in France, and he is competent and courteous in the position he holds. I am sure the fact that we are dealing with a man who is not a slacker will appeal to you as it does to me.

3. We are glad to back you in any way, caring for our soldiers and those who have been soldiers, which is our life work, and in this way our endeavors will always work together.

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BAY STATE MILLS ON FULL TIME

The Bay State Cotton Corp., which resumed operations last Monday after being shut down a month, will operate full time this week. The program for next week is not yet known.

The Tremont & Suffolk, which also re-opened its doors last Monday after a shutdown of one week, is operating some of its departments full time, while other departments shut down last night for the remainder of the week.

At the Saco-Lowell shops all departments are running full time, but the overtime work, which had been going on for several months, has practically been stopped. A number of men were laid off last Saturday, but it is understood that others were hired this week to fill the vacancies. This idea of letting men go and hiring others, it is said, is in accord with the weeding out process started at the plant some time ago.

The big plant of the Gillespie Mfg. Co. in Middlesex street, which shut down last November, is still idle. It was stated at the office of the company today that the officials have hopes that operations will be resumed in a month or six weeks. In normal times the company employs between 600 and 800 hands.

LOCAL LEGION TO PLAY HAVERHILL

The regular Legion basketball five will travel to Haverhill tomorrow night to play the Haverhill Legion quintet. These two teams have not met before and it is expected that the Haverhill players will stage a return game in this city in the future.

Plans are fast taking shape for an extensive tour by the Legion team which will take it through many of the cities and towns of New Hampshire. The team will travel from city to city, making considerable more than expenses, it is expected. Among the places the team will most likely visit are Dover, Laconia, Nashua, Concord, Stanford, Rochester, Tilton and Keene, N. H., and Woodsville, Vt. The Laconia Legion basketball team has established a record of 15 straight wins and is contesting for the state championship of New Hampshire.

IS STILL ASLEEP IN THE HOSPITAL

Mrs. Hannah Robertson, of 476 Merrimack street, who fell into a deep slumber over two weeks ago and is a patient in St. John's hospital suffering from sleeping sickness was reported in an unchanged condition today. Her physician, Daniel J. Ellison, stated that her temperature has fallen slightly, and that she is taking nourishment and is as well as could be expected. She is being given eggs, milk and broth. It is still difficult to awaken her for the purpose of feeding her. It is stated that she is conscious of her surroundings when she is awakened and is free from delusions.

DUBLIN MAGISTRATE KILLED—SON WOUNDED

DUBLIN, Feb. 3.—Dublin Castle reports that yesterday morning near Dunlavin, county Wicklow, Magistrate Robert Dixon was shot dead, and his son James seriously wounded while resisting armed men who demanded money from them.

The submarine cable from Burtonport to Arranmore island, county Donegal, was cut and the telegraph wires in the Dunfanaghy district were severed six times in January.

Mails for Dublin Castle daily are dropped within the grounds of the castle by airplanes.

The death sentence imposed on Joseph Murphy, convicted by a court martial of having led an attack in Cork October 5, against the military, has been commuted to life imprisonment.

At general headquarters, it was said that although there was convincing evidence of the guilt of Murphy, it was considered an act of mercy to commute the sentence in view of the anxiety through which the prisoner had passed during repeated postponement of his execution. Four dates had been set for his execution.

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HIGHER TAX RATE PREDICTED

The prediction made by City Auditor Hennessy that unless the estimates are radically reduced, the tax rate for this year will be over $36, will spread a degree of alarm among the property owners of the city. Last year the valuation of property throughout the city was advanced from 15 to 25 per cent and the tax rate was fixed at $27.20 per thousand. To make any such advance as Mr. Hennessy thinks may be necessary would be an outrage upon the tax payers of Lowell. Not only would it affect the real estate owners but also those who pay rent for the reason that any material increase in the tax rate will result in higher rents.

At the present time the tax rate is above the average for the cities of the state and to increase it even by one or two dollars would be considered a piece of extravagance that would call for a prompt remedy.

It is a fact that our present city government has been rather wasteful, that large amounts of money have been spent without showing any adequate results so that it is up to the people of Lowell to look into the affairs of their city government with a view to securing better results for the money expended. We do not believe that this can be done under the present system of government. A new charter, it seems to us, offers the only hope of retrenchment and thoroughly economic government. The charter problem soon to come before the people will have an added interest in view of the prospect of higher taxes as announced by the city auditor.

THE WAVE OF CRIME

In reference of the wave of crime, the robberies and hold-ups so common over this country, it does not seem that these outrages are due to the business depression. It is conceivable that men who have been without work for a long time and who can procure neither money nor credit might develop into dangerous characters and be tempted to resort to highway robbery or hold-ups such as have been reported in this city during the past few weeks.

The present business depression is not to be compared to that of 1903 or 1895 in the general paralysis of all kinds of industry. At present some industries are obliged to curtail, but few are entirely idle and none of them has any lack of faith in the future. The cause of the depression is well known and it is to be expected that falling prices will seriously disturb business; but the effect is negligible compared to what has happened in other countries.

Of all the leading countries engaged in the war, the United States has suffered least from inflation and the reverse process of deflation of the currency.

From the start of the world war in 1914 the price wave rose gradually in the United States, until in 1918 it had doubled the prices prevailing in 1914. From the spring of 1919 till that of 1920, prices took another upward turn, reaching a point at which they were one and a half times higher than in 1914. Then came the decline to a point that still leaves the prices double what they were when the Germans started for Paris.

It is remarkable that the price wave in England moved almost parallel to that in this country, but kept about 25 per cent higher. Prices in Japan crept along with about the same proportion of increase as in the United States, reaching the highest point early in 1920 and then taking a sudden drop that cut off nearly all the increase of the previous year.

But as for France and Italy, the upward bound of prices was more than double that of the United States on account of the greater inflation of the currency. In 1918 prices had increased to three and a half times the pre-war level and in 1920 four and a half times in France and in Italy nearly six times the pre-war level. At present, both in Italy and France, prices are coming down with a crash so that business conditions in both countries at the present time must be terrific.

But if in these countries, backed by loans and the friendly relations of the allies, such conditions prevail, how is it with Austria, Poland, Serbia, and the other countries ravaged by the war? Already Austria is in a state of collapse because what remains of the original empire was cut off from all the resources by which a nation can live, and left without coal or iron mines and without industries, so that the people have reached a point at which they are obliged to cast themselves upon the sympathy and charity of the world or else starve to death.

Thus we see, that if we look beyond our own country, we shall find that there is not perhaps in the entire world a nation as well off as we are right here in the United States. Some people may have an idea that things are not right because some are idle and others working. Let it be remembered that the industries have a hard time trying to keep running and avoid bankruptcy. Many of them laid in supplies at high prices and have now to use them for products to be sold at a greatly reduced price. Thus a heavy loss is incurred. But they had their harvest during the war and should not grumble now if they have to give up a part of their profits. The wage earners who saved their earnings during the war should have enough to tide them over this period of curtailment without difficulty but as for those who are without money or credit they should be provided for by the city.

There are two classes of the unemployed who should have the prompt attention of employers and city officials. They are the men who have families of small children dependent upon them, and the service men who risked their lives overseas under the colors. None of these people should be allowed to suffer as a result of the business depression; and we believe that any such case brought to the attention of the mayor or the proper authorities will be generously considered.

There is, therefore, no excuse for men getting desperate and going out to plunder, rob and kill. But the men who do this are not often the ones who are in want, nor the ones who are in search of work. There is some kind of bad spirit abroad which prompts men to go out and rob their fellowman. It seems that they have forgotten the commandments, "Thou shalt not steal," "Thou shalt not kill." Possibly some of them may never have been swayed by such precepts; but may have been influenced instead by the doctrine of the socialist that the capitalists have extorted their wealth unjustly from the people and that it is no harm to take some of it away from them. That is the gospel of the Bolsheviki in Russia who have plundered everybody supposed to have accumulated any money in their crusade against the Bourgeoisie.

In this country there is no justification for the application of such unjust or primitive methods. Here we have equal opportunity for all and success is but the measure of the skill and energy applied in pursuance of a worthy aim. No, despite the slight business depression and the hardships it may bring to large numbers of our people, there is no excuse for the existence of the hold-up man, the burglar, the bandit or the murderer.

DOLLAR DAY

Lowell is to have a Dollar Day, one that will mean much both for the merchants and the people. This feature has worked well in other cities and under the direction of the local merchants and the chamber of commerce, its success here is assured in advance. It should bring as many people to Lowell from the surrounding towns as come here on circus day. The stores intend to do their utmost in the line of bargains so that there will be inducements for everybody to get down town and share in the good things offered. One of the motives of Dollar Day is to impress the people with the extent to which prices in various lines of goods have been reduced, and to demonstrate the fact that Lowell stores can give as much for a dollar or any given amount as those of any other city in the United States.

REPLACING VANISHED FORESTS

In order to aid in preventing the destruction of forests and the supply of young trees suitable for the manufacture of wood pulp, the American Forestry association asked congress for an appropriation of $1,000,000; but the allowance granted is only same as last year, $125,000. This sum is wholly inadequate and the work to be undertaken is very important. It is to be hoped that congress will reconsider its action on this matter and grant the moderate amount asked for in order that at least a good beginning can be made in the work of reforestation with a view to ultimately overcoming the present lumber shortage, the shortage in wood pulp and the consequent high price of paper.

Meantime whether congress helps or not, the duty of the people is plain in preventing forest fires and planting trees wherever possible.

A Pittsfield judge is to send all Sunday moonshine drinkers to jail, but the other days of the week they will be unhampered to follow the suicide route they have chosen.

Suppose we all accept the chamber of commerce's estimate that Lowell has 120,000 population—it is so much easier to remember than 112,-852.

The news comes that the state prison population is declining. We are not sure that some of this is not due to fewer people who ought to be there not arriving.

Dean Johnson, of New York university, wants people to burn their liberty bonds as a means of making prices drop. Some people burned the proceeds of the sale of theirs long ago.

A woman's man is usually of the kind that men feel like putting manacles on and casting into outer darkness.

It is reported that there is no interest in the election of a constable for North Chelmsford. Is this another one of the effects of the hold-up wave?

"Used Gasoline to Start Fire." A Sun headline, and only two more words, "usual result," are necessary to tell the complete story.

The 4th of March comes on Friday this year, and we half expected some such calamity when we heard of Harding's election.

The city of Methuen, a year old and now a town again, might ask: "If I was so soon to be done for what was I begun for?"

With a matron in the high school, why not have a maid to assist in the use of the powder puffs?

[illegible] in Lowell.

The Debs sentence remains on the debit side of his ledger, thanks to the president's refusal to reprieve.

The Sun not only shines for all, but it does things right along, as a matter of course, that are worth doing.

[illegible] may prove political [illegible]

Lowell, with a live woman candidate for the school committee, is not such a "little" town after all.

SEEN AND HEARD

What has become of the old-fashioned lantern folks used to carry when they went out at night?

The London expert who can hypnotize lobsters probably learned the game in the music halls.

Don't harbor a grudge. Have it out with whoever your grudge has to do with and let it go at that.

Wellesley students are to have a "sneezing room." Remember the "swearing room" in one of Charley Hoyt's farces?

The announcement that an airship line is to carry passengers at so much a pound will be followed by an epidemic of puns about "flying aweight" and the like.

Where One Learns

Several guests at a luncheon, years ago, were in heated discussion over a painting that adorned the wall. Apparently none of them knew its meaning, although it represented a scene in the mythology of Greece. Bored by the conversation, one of them turned to a waiter and insolently demanded to know the picture's meaning. To his astonishment, the waiter gave it immediately. "In what school have you studied," asked the guest. "In many schools, sir," replied the humble waiter, "but the school in which I learned most was the school of adversity. Books only have been my friends." Ten years later, all France rang with the fame of the greatest writer of his age, Jean Jacques Rousseau.

The Sluggard

'Tis the voice of a sluggard; I heard him complain,
"You have waked me too soon; I must slumber again";
As the door on its hinges, so he in his bed
Turns his sides, and his shoulders, and his heavy head.
"A little more sleep, and a little more slumber";
Thus he wastes half his days, and his hours without number;
And when he gets up, he sits folding his hands
Or walks about saunt'ring, or trifling he stands.

I passed by his garden, and saw the wild brier,
The thorn and the thistle grow broader and higher;
The clothes that hang on him are turning to rags;
And his money still wastes till he starves or he begs.

I made him a visit, still hoping to find
That he took better care for improving his mind;
He told me his dreams, talked of eating and drinking,
But he scarce reads his Bible, and never loved thinking.

Said I then to my heart, "Here's a lesson for me;
That man's but a picture of what I might be;
But thanks to my friends for their care in my breeding,
Who taught me betimes to love working and reading."

—ISAAC WATTS.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

Meeting a local contractor recently I asked him if he found his men affected by the sight of so many other men idle and asking for work.

"Oh, yes, indeed!" he replied, "it has made a marked change among my men. I find labor much more efficient and the men are more careful in every way about their work. Most of them are doing a good day's work and their pay remains the same."

"Do you anticipate a cut in wages in the near future?"

"No, while my men give me a decent day's work, I'll give them a decent day's pay. Of course, I shall have to weed out the men who kill time and don't want to do a decent day's work."

Later I walked into a department store and met the manager. "How's business?" I asked.

"Fairly good," said he. "Before spring I believe business will start picking up and we shall have a prosperous year. Prices are already gradually coming down to normal, and we get out goods more promptly from the factories. The worst of the business depression, I believe, has passed. People are buying now because prices are getting down where they can buy. We have no reason to complain." This man was something of a gloom chaser.

Next I sauntered into a restaurant. "How's business?" I asked.

"Well, I don't think folks are as hungry as they used to be during the war," replied the manager. "Besides, during the war, we practiced economy to a great extent. When it was possible to use a substitute we did so. Now the war is over and you can't do that. The public wants better service, and better food and they should have both. I am doing my utmost to give the people the best value possible for the prices they pay. Help is becoming more accommodating and everything is getting better," he concluded.

The interests of Harold L. Chalifoux, elected Wednesday noon president of the Lowell chamber of commerce, are entirely in Lowell. He is a Lowell boy and received his early education in the public schools in this city. He attended Harvard college and graduated from that institution in 1909. For many years Mr. Chalifoux has managed a business in this city, his large department store being formerly in the Central block. Seven years ago next month the department store under the name of the J. L. Chalifoux company moved from the Central block to its present location at the corner of Central and Merrimack streets. The name of the firm was later changed to "The Chalifoux company," under which name it does business at present.

Mr. Chalifoux has been very active as a member of the chamber of commerce during the past year. He was chairman of the community advertising committee formed to study the factors existing in Lowell which could be made the basis of a systematic campaign of municipal advertising. During the first year of the newly organized chamber but little work could be done along this line, but under the circumstances and the direction of Mr. Chalifoux several advertising projects of inestimable value to the city as a whole were completed. The new president is greatly interested in affairs concerning Lowell and still holds his legal residence here. He has a very beautiful and large summer home in Beverly.

At Sunday evening's meeting of the Holy Name society of St. Peter's church Mr. Bernard D. Ward, the well known postal clerk, was re-elected recording secretary, a position which he fills with much ability. Mr. Ward has an aptitude for things literary and his work along this line in the society and various parish affairs has brought him much praise. It is recalled that on the occasion of Hon. John F. Fitzgerald's presence before the society at a smoker, Mr. Ward was called upon to introduce him. He did it gracefully and eloquently and was complimented by Mr. Fitzgerald. Mr. Fitzgerald referred to him as a product of the land of Bobbie Burns and those who have read Mr. Ward's poetry about his homeland, cannot fail to be impressed with his love for his native land.

NERVOUS SYSTEM SHATTERED

"Fruit-a-tives", or Fruit Liver Tablets Gave Relief

835 GRANT ST., BUFFALO, N. Y.

"I have been Paralyzed on the whole right side since April 30th. I referred the case to a physician who wrote me, *advising the use of 'Fruit-a-tives'*.

I would not be without 'Fruit-a-tives' for anything; no more strong cathartics or salts; no more bowel trouble for me.

I recommend 'Fruit-a-tives' to all. I feel more like 40 than 62, which I have just passed".

WM. H. OSTRANDER.

60c. a box, 6 for $2.50, trial size 25c. At dealers or from FRUIT-A-TIVES Limited, OGDENSBURG, N. Y.

BUILDING SITUATION

Boston City Councilman Says Interests of Public Ignored by Builders

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—When employers in the building trades get together to draw up an agreement, the public is ignored and the conferences are concerned only with "individual salvation," James B. Moriarty, president of the Boston city council, testified yesterday before the special committee of the Boston chamber of commerce investigating the building situation. He was testifying for the workers.

"Going into conference at such a time is like going to church for one purpose," he said.

Asked by James E. McConnell, chairman of the committee, whether going to church did not involve "a little more unselfish purpose," the witness replied:

"No, sir, I don't think so. I think everybody goes to church for a selfish purpose, to help himself."

Mr. Moriarty also asserted that the Building Trades Employers association of Boston had coerced individual employers to join it previous to expiration of the wage agreement with the building trades council last December 31.

The witness said he had no direct knowledge of coercive methods used by the employers' association except what he had learned from talks with individuals. From these conversations, he testified, he had gained the impression that contractors had been forced into the association by the threat that they would be locked out if they did not join to assist in the fight against the unions. He said that a legislative inquiry would be necessary "to arrive at the truth."

HARDING TO VISIT BOSTON

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Warren G. Harding, president-elect of the United States, will be the guest of honor at the dinner in celebration of the 35th anniversary of the Boston Press club.

Mr. Harding verbally accepted the invitation extended to him by a member of the club who called upon him at his office in Marion, O., some weeks ago, and has also replied in similar vein to a formal invitation sent him by the president of the club.

The date of the dinner has not yet been determined, as it must necessarily depend upon a time when the then president can leave Washington.

As Mr. Harding does not care for elaborate functions, the dinner will be a comparatively modest affair. It will be for members of the Press club only and a few specially invited guests, at a place to be designated later.

The president, for he will be the president at the time of the dinner, is glad to come here as an honorary member of one of the oldest press clubs in the United States, and also as a compliment to Vice President Coolidge, who will also be a guest.

Most of the prominent men of Boston are members of the Press club, so that the dinner promises to bring together one of the most notable gatherings Boston has seen in a long time.

The club has never before had the honor of entertaining a president of the United States.

RUSSIAN GIRLS RELEASED

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—Correlia and Isabella Friede, Russian girls, who landed here Monday and were detained on suspicion of being soviet propagandists, were freed today. An immigration court of inquiry decided that the suspicions were unfounded. The girls gave their ages as 21 and 17, and their occupation as dancing.

SO WEAK SO NERVOUS

How Miserable This Woman Was Until She Took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Toomsboro, Ga.—"I suffered terribly with backache and headache all the time, was so weak and nervous I didn't know what to do, and could not do my work. My trouble was deficient and irregular periods. I read in the papers what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had done for others and decided to give it a trial. I got good results from its use so that I am now able to do my work. I recommend your Vegetable Compound to my friends who have troubles similar to mine and you may use these facts as a testimonial."—Mrs. C. F. PHILLIPS, Toomsboro, Ga.

Weak, nervous women make unhappy homes, their condition irritates both husband and children. It has been said that nine-tenths of the nervous prostration, nervous despondency, "the blues," irritability and backache arise from some displacement or derangement of a woman's system. Mrs. Phillips' letter clearly shows that no other remedy is so successful in overcoming this condition as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Harriett W. Hamblett

20 Years With Harry Raynes

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That owing to the very generous co-operation, confidence and loyalty of her many friends and patrons, she has moved to new and more commodious quarters in the Wyman's Exchange Bldg., 9 Central St., Lowell, Mass., Rooms 206-208.

You are invited to attend the opening of the New Shoppe on Feb. 4-5, and view the smartest and most carefully selected line of high class (and of latest design) Jewelry, Pearls, Diamonds, Sterling Silverware, Watches and Clocks north of Boston.

She will, as heretofore, extend that personal service and courteous attention, and in addition has so arranged the interior of the New Shoppe that your comfort is assured while shopping and makes it real pleasure for you.

Wyman's Exchange Building

9 CENTRAL STREET ROOMS 206-208

DEATH WAS DUE TO GAS POISONING

"Death from accidental gas poisoning" was the finding of Medical Examiner Thomas B. Smith in the case of Mrs. Marie H. Cartier Caron, who was discovered lying unconscious late yesterday afternoon by her daughter, Miss Alice Caron, and died before assistance could be obtained. The accident occurred at the Caron apartment, Majestic Chambers, 445 Merrimack street. Mrs. Caron had evidently turned on a loose gas cock involuntarily, while preparing the evening meal in the kitchen, and had been overcome before realizing that gas was escaping. A partly open window failed to prevent the deadly action of the gas.

Mrs. Caron had lived here for more than a quarter of a century. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Willis Pelletier and Miss Alice Caron, both of this city, and two sons, Albert of Lowell and Jos. Caron of Wilmington. The body was removed to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Willis Pelletier, 503 Moody street, by Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

NEAR EAST FUND STILL GROWING

The fund for the relief of suffering in the Near East continues to receive additions in Lowell and other cities. The total received in this city up to date is $3,206.87. The latest list of contributors is as follows:

Previously reported	$3095.87
Miss N. J. Burnham	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Burnham	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Humphrey	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. L. Cosgrove	5.00
Miss Lucy Stevenson	5.00
Miss Louisa Stevenson	5.00
Mrs. Emma Stevenson	5.00
Dr. J. O'Brien	5.00
Mrs. S. Patenaude	2.00
Louis Sarre	1.00
Leon Sarre	1.00
Auguste Sarre	1.00
Dr. H. Laurin	2.00
J. N. Pepin	1.00
Mrs. J. H. Collins	1.00
Mrs. E. C. Ramette	1.00
Mrs. J. Holt	1.00
M. F. Cummings	1.00
Percy Beardsley	1.00
J. E. McQuaid	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Welcome	2.00
J. S. Campbell	1.00
Bon Marche Dry Goods Co.	25.00
Mrs. Needham	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Cochrane	2.00
John MacFadzyen	1.00
Fred Martin	1.00
Mrs. Fred Martin	1.00
Edward Gallagher	1.00
Arthur Tiffany	1.00
James Wakefield	1.00
John Morgan	1.00
Fred O'Laughlin	1.00
John Maroney	1.00
David Sheehan	1.00
Jerry Sullivan	1.00
John Yeble	1.00
Mrs. C. A. Aldrich	1.00
Mrs. Hattie Duncan	1.00
C. P. Cummings	2.00
H. E. Hughes	1.00
Miss Gertrude Moran	1.00
John Wainwright	1.00
Mrs. John Wainwright	1.00
Total	$3206.87

California lemon growers are in Washington lobbying for a high tariff on Italian lemons.

CERTAIN RELIEF FROM BRONCHIAL ASTHMA

Simple Home Treatment Makes Breathing Easy

Just because you start the day tired, listless, worn out from loss of rest and the difficult breathing of miserable Asthma do not think you have to stay this way long.

Be strong and well, breathe clearly and easily again by using this simple treatment known as Oxidaze, the prescription of a Worcester, Mass., physician.

For any form of Asthma where the bronchial tubes are irritated, the breathing short and difficult, its healing, relieving action is really wonderful. Sufferers who can't breathe at night and who gasp for a good, clear breath will appreciate the relief and comfort Oxidaze gives.

Oxidaze is a tablet made from essential oils which, when the patient dissolves in the mouth, almost immediately soothes the irritation, clears out the choked up air passages and enables the sufferer to breathe easily and get a real comfortable night's sleep.

It is sold by Lowell Pharmacy, Liggett's and Green's Drug Store, leading druggists who agree to refund the full purchase price of the first package to any sufferer who does not obtain satisfactory relief. Asthmatic sufferers should give Oxidaze a trial. It is harmless and inexpensive.—Adv.

HEALTH BOARD SAYS COLDS THAT HANG ON ARE DANGEROUS

The United States Public Health Service has issued a warning in regard to colds that hang on. It is explained that these colds are often the beginning of serious and frequently fatal illness. Right living, good food and plenty of fresh air are elements which are absolutely necessary in the treatment of colds which hang on and in building up the strength and resisting power after the cold has begun to disappear. No better tonic food medicine can be found at such a time than Father John's Medicine, because it is made of pure and wholesome, nourishing food elements which strengthen and build up the system. It is of special importance to remember that Father John's Medicine does not contain any alcohol or narcotic drugs in any form whatever. For this reason it is a safe medicine to give to every member of the family.

It has been used successfully for more than sixty-five years. It is not a patent medicine but a doctor's prescription. Thousands of mothers in every section of the country keep it on hand constantly as their family medicine because they have proved by their own experience and by that of their friends that it is the safe, logical remedy to use for colds that hang on, for long-standing coughs and as a general tonic and body-builder.—Adv.

EIGHT OF FAMILY VICTIMS OF FIRE

RUTLAND, Vt., Feb. 2.—Two more children, Ada, 12, and Leona, 1, died yesterday as a result of burns suffered when the home of Henry Martel at Rochester, Vt., was burned Tuesday morning. This brings the total death list to eight, including all of the seven children of Mr. and Mrs. Martel and Mr. Martel's father, Louis Martel, 70.

Mrs. Martel was terribly burned and, coupled with the loss of all her children, it is not expected that she will recover.

FLORENCE CRITTENTON LEAGUE

The following report of Inah G. Lowell, welfare worker for the Florence Crittenton league gives the amount of work accomplished:

Office calls	117
Calls made	71
Girls placed	3
Missing girls found	1
Physicians consulted and hospital visits	9
Pastors consulted	1
Court cases	6
Investigations	8
Visits to theatres	6
Visits to dance halls	8
Visits to railroad station	3
Meetings attended and workers consulted	10
Talks given	1

AFTER LIQUOR SMUGGLERS

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—Frank D. Richardson, regional prohibition enforcement director, was on the way to Detroit today to supervise action to be taken by his agents against liquor smugglers who are getting whisky into the United States from Canada by airplane, boat and automobile.

Fifty Years Ago

It was the custom of our grandparents when anything was the matter with their stomach, liver or kidneys, to take a remedy composed of the right kind of roots and herbs, and by so doing lived to a ripe old age. It is also true that the Shakers, who have always depended upon the life-giving juices of leaves, roots and herbs, are long-lived people. The roots and herbs of which SEVEN BARKS is principally composed of were gathered by the Shakers for many, many years, then scientifically blended, and SEVEN BARKS has become famous as one of the most reliable remedies for Indigestion, Constipation, Liver, Kidney and Stomach disorders.

Dull pains in the back, often under the shoulder blades, poor digestion, heartburns or flutterings, sour risings, yellow skin, mean liver troubles, and you should take SEVEN BARKS; it will relieve you, as it will make the liver active, tone up the digestive organs and cause the bowels to act normally.

SEVEN BARKS is not a cure-all, but a very reliable remedy that will at once act on the liver, stomach and bowels, sets them to right, tones and strengthens the general health.

If you want to get the greatest efficiency out of your body, enjoy and prolong your life, take SEVEN BARKS. At druggists', 60 cents a bottle. Don't put it off; get it today.—Adv.

Parasol ants of Brazil march in single file, each with a piece of leaf over its body.

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SMELTS, Lb.	25c	OPEN CLAMS, Qt.	40c
MACKEREL, Lb.	23c	Sliced WHITE-FISH, Lb.	15c
EASTERN HALIBUT, Lb.	35c	OYSTERS, Qt.	70c

Read OUR ADVERTISEMENT IN TOMORROW'S PAPERS Read

BON MARCHE BANQUET

General Manager E. J. Gilmore Addressed Employes' Mutual Benefit Association

"This business depression in the United States has about reached bottom," declared General Manager E. J. Gilmore, of the Bon Marche last evening at the banquet of the Bon Marche Employes' Mutual Benefit association, held on the third floor of the store. "Some merchandise may go lower," continued Mr. Gilmore, "but other goods have already begun to reascend. Experts in the gathering of statistics declare that high prices are gone for at least ten years."

The speaker warned against buying in large quantities which is, he said, one reason why prices soar. He stated that merchandise might advance in price temporarily, due to sudden purchasing on the part of western buyers.

"When prices go above normal," he declared, "they subsequently sag below normal. They follow the same rule that causes a carriage wheel, which has been jounced into the air by a rock in the road, to go below the level of the road when it comes down."

He told the employes of the local store that sales during one week this year had exceeded those of a like period last year by $8,000. "This," he said, "while in cities as near as Manchester they were frantically cutting prices to one-half, or below cost."

He stressed the value of courtesy to customers. "When any employe fails to see that a customer leaves the store pleased," he said, "that employe has injured the business of the concern."

About two hundred men and women, members of the Bon Marche personnel, were present at the banquet and the concert and dance which followed. The

ELBERT J. GILMORE

D. L. Page company acted as caterers for the affair, and provided a goodly spread. The Columbian orchestra added music to the culinary art as exhibited by the local victualers.

The following menu was served: Fruit cocktail, bread sticks, tea rolls, olives, dressed celery, roast Vermont turkey, cranberry sauce, mashed potatoes, Hubbard squash, fruit salad, Sultana roll, sauce, cake, ice cream, and coffee.

The program of the concert was: Selection, Columbian orchestra, Matthew C. Ward, director; vocal solo, Mildred Desrochers; piano solo, Vina Garrity; remarks, E. J. Gilmore; vocal duet, Charles and Mabel Martin; reading, Jeanne Giroux; vocal solo, Pearl Fox; piano solo, Elizabeth Joy; assembly singing; vocal solo, Christina Laflamme; violin solo, Michael McInerney; reading, Frank Sullivan; vocal solo, Blanche Jodoin; Pianola selection, Leon French; cornet solo, Wilbur H. Roberts; vocal duet, Pearl Fox and Elizabeth Joy; assembly singing.

Philias I. Duval acted as chairman, and Morton M. Walker as toastmaster. The committee on arrangements comprised Frank Sullivan, chairman, Minnie Sullivan, Vena Clark, Elizabeth Hennessey, and Alfred King. The following officers of the association were among those present: Morton M. Walker, president; A. Joseph Pare, vice-president; Margaret Swift, secretary; Vena L. Clark, treasurer; Elizabeth Hennessey, collector; and Rita Nawn, Christina Laflamme, and Margarite Kimball, auditors.

The printed program and menu bore the following message: "We extend to all our sincere thanks for your talent. We appreciate your interest in our association. Your Committee." Also on the program there was the memory-jogger to "Remember our annual dance, Tuesday evening, April 12, 1921." This affair is scheduled to take place at Associate hall, and the E.M.B.A.s swear that they don't need to be reminded of it, as it is due to be one of the events of the season that will stand out.

The success of the evening was due in great measure to the untiring efforts of General Manager Gilmore, who first made possible the holding of the affair. Mr. Gilmore has consistently worked for the welfare of Bon Marche employes, and the enthusiasm with which he was received last night testified to their appreciation of his efforts.

PRUSSIAN MINISTER TALKS ON REPARATIONS

LONDON, Feb. 3.—While offering determined objection to the allied reparation demands, Herr Severing, the Prussian minister of home affairs, declared in a speech at a meeting of majority socialists that Germany should not decline all the demands in an angry fit but should try to convince the allies that Germany was doing what she could to satisfy reparation requirements, says a despatch from Cologne today. He declared the present demands of the allies meant the economic strangulation of Germany.

CARDINAL FERRARI DEAD

MILAN, Feb. 3.—Cardinal Ferrari, archbishop of Milan died yesterday.

He was born in 1850 and created a Cardinal in 1894. He had long suffered from cancer. His physicians last year informed him that he had only a short time to live. He visited Rome and tendered his will to the pope and then went to Lourdes.

Beauty Secret

KEEP the system clean. Eliminate the poisons. If nature will not do it for you, help nature with a natural medicine like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Take a teaspoonful for a few nights and watch the results. There will be a feeling of lightness, the eyes will be bright and sparkling, the lips red, the cheeks pink.

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Take HAYES' HEALING HONEY to heal and soothe the sore and tender tissues and lining membranes inside the throat.

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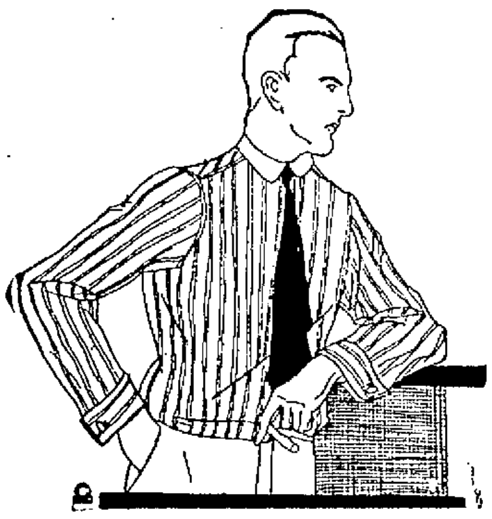

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PRODUCTION CURTAILED

Labor Leaders Charged With Ordering Curtailment in Many Industries

(Special to The Sun)

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Charges that labor leaders have ordered curtailment of production in many lines of industry were made before the legislative committee on labor and industry yesterday, by Rep. Edward F. Willard, a former mayor of Chelsea.

Some of the curtailments cited by Rep. Willard were:—

Bricklayers, from 1800 or 2000 bricks per day to 600;

Suit pressers, from 125 suits a week to 35;

Lathers, from 18 bundles per day to eight.

Rep. Willard declared that he knew a member of the 26th division, a machinist, who was discharged from his position in a Hyde Park shop because he exceeded the output permitted by the union officials.

He advocated legislation to provide that no one shall "attempt to restrict or curtail or otherwise interfere with the amount of labor performed by any individual during a working day," and that "no person shall, himself or by his agent, coerce or compel a person into a written or oral agreement to join or not to join or become a member of a labor organization as a condition of his securing employment or continuing in the employment of any person." He said it was not intended to disrupt organized labor, but rather to help labor.

"Organized labor needs help," he said, "and when it needed legislation to better its conditions I worked to get such legislation through. Today it needs freedom from some of its leaders, for the leaders are at fault, as the majority of American workingmen stand ready to do an honest day's work for a fair day's pay."

He referred to the fight in congress over the Adamson bill and said organized labor has injured itself tremendously during the past three or four years, especially when it stood with a stopwatch over congress on that measure, threatening to stop every railroad in the country if its demands were not met. Rep. Willard described the scene as "disgraceful and unpatriotic."

William H. Hayward, secretary of the Master Builders' association in Boston, said the steady trend in the building industry during the past few years has been toward decreased production. "Only yesterday," he said, the master lathers received from the journeymen lathers a communication in which the latter announced that hereafter only eight bundles of lathes will be laid daily. The number had previously been 12.

Charles J. Hodsdon, legislative representative of the American Federation of Labor, declared the bill was intended as the first step in the complete disruption of organized labor. He said he had previously seen men who were anxious to aid labor, but their efforts were usually devoted to finding ways to place chains about the necks of laboring men and women and hanging them. He insisted that labor stands for a fair day's work for a fair day's pay.

Asked why it is then that labor opposes the pending bill, Mr. Hodsdon replied that the working of the measure might tie labor's hands in the case of a strike, because it might be held that the strike was an interference with production. Asked how he could account for the letter referred to Mr. Sayward, he replied that he would not believe that any such communication existed until he saw it.

The committee took the matter under advisement. HOYT.

AMUSEMENT MAD AND DANCE CRAZY

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—"May God save the United States from becoming amusement mad and dance crazy," said Rev. Charles R. Brown of Yale university in an address here last night.

Using the disintegration of Rome as an example of the ultimate end of the race for pleasure, Dr. Brown warned Americans not to deviate from the principles laid down by the founders of the republic.

A Chilean mountain consists of almost a solid mass of high grade iron ore.

Home-made Remedy Stops Coughs Quickly

The best cough medicine you ever tried. A family supply easily and quickly made. Saves about $2.

You might be surprised to know that the best thing you can use for a severe cough, is a remedy which is easily prepared at home in just a few moments. It's cheap, but for prompt results it beats anything else you ever tried. Usually stops the ordinary cough or chest cold in 24 hours. Tastes pleasant, too—children like it—and it is pure and good.

Pour 2½ ounces of Pinex in a pint bottle; then fill it up with plain granulated sugar syrup. Or use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup, if desired. Thus you make a full pint—a family supply—but costing no more than a small bottle of ready-made cough syrup.

And as a cough medicine, there is really nothing better to be had at any price. It goes right to the spot and gives quick, lasting relief. It promptly heals the inflamed membranes that line the throat and air passages, stops the annoying throat tickle, loosens the phlegm, and soon your cough stops entirely. Splendid for bronchitis, croup, hoarseness and bronchial asthma.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of Norway pine extract, famous for its healing effect on the membranes.

To avoid disappointment ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

STOMACH GAVE HER YEARS OF TORTURE

Could Hardly Stand on Her Feet. Eats Anything Now

"For years I suffered with stomach trouble in its worst form. It was so bad at times I could hardly stand on my feet. I lost my appetite and what little I did eat formed gas in my stomach so bad that it bloated me all up, and caused me to suffer with shortness of breath and pains around my heart. I was completely worn out and felt bad all the time.

"I saw Milks Emulsion advertised in the daily papers and decided to try it, and I want to tell you I commenced to improve before I finished the first bottle. My appetite has returned and I can now eat anything without any trouble afterwards. My stomach trouble has entirely disappeared and I sleep like a log every night. In fact I feel as well as I ever did."—Mrs. O. J. Zecha, 585 Charles St., St. Paul, Minn.

The blessed relief which Milks Emulsion gives in stomach trouble, is only part of its good work. The benefit is both prompt and lasting. It costs nothing to try.

Milks Emulsion is a pleasant, nutritive food and a corrective medicine. It restores healthy, natural bowel action, doing away with all need of pills and physics. It promotes appetite and quickly puts the digestive organs in shape to assimilate food. It helps build flesh and strength, and is a powerful aid in resisting and repairing the effects of wasting diseases.

This is the only solid emulsion made, and so palatable that it is eaten with a spoon like ice cream. Truly wonderful for weak, sickly children.

No matter how severe your case, you are urged to try Milks Emulsion under this guarantee. Take six bottles home with you, use it according to directions and if not satisfied with the results, your money will be promptly refunded. Price 75c and $1.50 per bottle. The Milks Emulsion Co., Terre Haute, Ind. Sold by Fred Howard and first class druggists.—Adv.

BRIGHTEN UP CORNERS

Request for $280,000 for Lights to End Spooning in Parks and Reservations

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—A request for $250,000 for lighting equipment to put an end to spooning in the parks and reservations under control of the Metropolitan district commission of this state, has been presented to the committee on Metropolitan affairs.

Shadowy dells are being turned into lovers' bowers at night because of lack of proper lighting facilities, the police report, and the committee urges that the appropriation be used to brighten up the corners as soon as the cost of installation is reduced.

PERUVIANS HONOR U. S. ATLANTIC FLEET

LIMA, Peru, Feb. 3.—This city and Callao, six miles westward, shared today in the entertainment arranged for the officers and crews of the United States Atlantic fleet.

The program included a reception by Admiral Henry B. Wilson on board his flagship Pennsylvania, games between Peruvian and United States sailors, and a reception at the United States embassy.

A large number of American sailors attended a bull fight here yesterday and saw Juan Belmonte, the famous Spanish toreador, and others in action. Admiral Wilson and staff occupied the presidential box. Belmonte was slightly injured in an encounter with an especially fierce bull, but secured another sword and killed the animal. He was given the ears as a recognition of his good work.

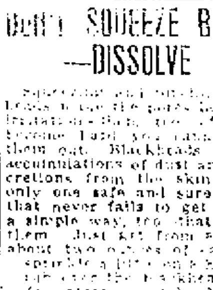
Honor Pacific Fleet

VALPARAISO, Chile, Feb. 3.—President Alessandri of Chile visited Admiral Rodman, commander of the United States Pacific fleet, on board the flagship New Mexico today. Later the president and the ministers of war and marine reviewed a parade of 4000 sailors from the fleet.

Valparaiso was crowded yesterday with American officers, marines and sailors, who participated in dances, excursions to points of interest and rifle shooting contests. During the day 600 enlisted men went to Santiago where they were given a luncheon by the Chilean committee, and went sight seeing about the capital.

Admiral Rodman and his staff went to Santiago last evening to attend a reception given by the diplomatic corps.

"Untold Misery"



Ischua, N. Y.—"I take pleasure in testifying to the great benefit I have derived from the use of Dr. Pierce's Anuric (anti-uric acid) Tablets. I suffered untold misery until I sent for Dr. Pierce's An-uric Tablets and have been in good health since taking them. I have taken a number of different kinds of kidney medicines before, but none of them did me any good. I would advise all sufferers from kidney trouble to take Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets."—MRS. E. J. TROWBRIDGE.

Send 10c to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for trial pkg.

DON'T SQUEEZE BLACKHEADS—DISSOLVE THEM

Squeezing and pinching out blackheads make the pores large and cause irritation—then, too, after they have become hard you cannot get all of them out. Blackheads are caused by accumulations of dust and dirt and secretions from the skin and there is only one safe and sure way and one that never fails to get rid of them—a simple way, too—that is to dissolve them. Just get from any drug store about two ounces of calonite powder—sprinkle a little on a hot, wet sponge—rub over the blackheads briskly for a few seconds—wash off and you'll be surprised to see that every blackhead has disappeared, and the skin will be left soft and the pores in their natural condition—anyone troubled with these unsightly blemishes should try this simple method.—Adv.

GOLDEN RULE

Plan Working Well in Cincinnati Plant

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 3.—Since employes of the A. Nash Co., a manufacturing concern of this city voted to take a voluntary vacation if necessary to give work to unemployed, there have been further developments in this business which is being run on the Golden Rule basis. Mr. Nash outlined yesterday these recent steps:

"Business men of Chattanooga, Tenn., have become so interested in results obtained by application of the Golden Rule to this business that they have subscribed stock to open a Tennessee company.

"Employes of the Cincinnati factory have bought into ownership to the extent of $50,000 since opportunity was given them in January.

"Employes are so much interested in the Golden Rule that they conducted a service in the Cincinnati People's church in January.

"Arrangements have been made to conduct classes in business management and economics for employes.

"Business has expanded so much since employes presented their petition proposing they take a vacation that a new shop has been opened.

"This growth has employed a large number of men out of work and with the reopening of activity for the spring the need of Nash employes stepping out to make room temporarily for others has passed."

HELD SILVER TEA

For Benefit of Starving People in China

Many-hued Chinese garments worn by the entertainers, together with features on the program which were aromatic with the savor of the east, lent novelty and charm to the silver tea held yesterday at the Highland Congregational church for the benefit of starving people of China.

"Jesus Loves Me" was sung in the Chinese tongue by Miss Greta McPherson, with Mrs. Harrison Byam at the piano. The Misses Virginia Sargent, Yolande Dewel, Dorothy and Rachel Dobbins, who compose the church Mandolin club, played. The young ladies wore gay Chinese costumes, while Mrs. Arthur Davis, also in the garb of the great [illegible] republic, entertained with a tale of old China.

The Chinese famine was discussed by S. C. Chin and P. Y. Tank. W. C. Chang talked on America-Chinese diplomatic relations, and Y. C. Wong told of education in China. These young men are now students at Lowell Textile. Another guest of honor was Mamie Chin, a Chinese-American lass, the daughter of a local laundry proprietor.

The sum of fifty dollars, the proceeds of the affair, will be given to Rev. Watts O. Pye, a missionary of Shansi Province, China.

Hostesses were: Mrs. Alfred Caswell, Mrs. Albert F. Grant, Mrs. J. H. Preston, and Mrs. Arthur Stewart. The invitations, which were in Chinese fashion, were the work of Mrs. J. W. Fraser and Mrs. W. E. Sargent. The decorations were by Mrs. Wm. Rawlinson, Mrs. Elmer Brennon, Mrs. Arthur Davis and Miss Marion Wilson.

The average elevation of Delaware is 60 feet above sea level, less than that of any other state.

The Scotch song, "Comin' Through the Rye," does not refer to a rye field, but to the river Rye.

Mild Physic and Liver Tonic

1c A DOSE

How vigorous and good natured we feel and how bright the world seems when the digestive organs are faithfully performing their vital duties. Yet how easily they become deranged, throwing too much of their burden on the liver or bowels. Then trouble begins. All sorts of distressing symptoms appear, some of them alarming in effect. There is danger in delay. If there is any distress whatever in the stomach, headache, backache, palpitation, dizziness, scant urine, constipation, hasten to the store and get a 50 cent bottle of that good-health remedy, "L. F." Atwood's Medicine. Endorsed by Maine people everywhere, and guaranteed by the "L. F." Medicine Co., Portland, Maine.

SAYS HIS PRESCRIPTION HAS POWERFUL INFLUENCE OVER RHEUMATISM

Mr. James H. Allen suffered for years with rheumatism. Many times this terrible disease left him helpless and unable to work.

He finally decided after years of ceaseless study, that no one can be free from rheumatism until the accumulated impurities, commonly called uric acid deposits, were dissolved in the joints and muscles and expelled from the body.

With this idea in mind he consulted physicians, made experiments and finally compounded a prescription that quickly and completely banished every sign and symptom of rheumatism from his system.

He freely gave his discovery to others who took it, with what might be called marvelous success. After years of urging he decided to let sufferers everywhere know about his discovery through the newspapers. Dows, the Druggist and Fred Howard have been appointed agents for Allenrhu in this vicinity with the understanding that they will freely return the purchase money on the first two bottles to all who state they received no benefit.—Adv.

THAT UNEASY FEELING

That dull depression, that dragged out spiritless condition—it's biliousness.

Why be out of sorts with yourself and everybody else when one dose of Schenck's Mandrake Pills will do wonders for you.

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Soap, Ointment, Talcum, 25c. everywhere. Samples free of Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. X, Malden, Mass.

Sporting News and Newsy Sports

BOB HART SCORES EIGHT AND WORCESTER WINS

WORCESTER, Feb. 3.—Worcester had a comparatively easy time with Hartford here last night and won, 10 to 5. Hart and Lewis were the stars. The score:

WORCESTER	HARTFORD
Higgins, lr	lr, Davies
Hart, rr	rr, Lewis
Donnelly, c	c, Evans
Muirhead, b	b, Morrison
Pence, g	g, Huettner

Summary—Score: Worcester 10, Hartford 5. Rushes: Higgins 15, Davies 8. Stops: Pence 56, Huettner 55. Goals: Hart 8, Higgins 2, Lewis 4, Davies 1. Foul: Hart. Referee: Graham.

Tigers Beat Gold Bugs

FALL RIVER, Feb. 3.—Fall River won over Providence here last night, 8 to 7, in an overtime game. For the first two periods, the locals had the Gold Bugs' defense baffaloed, but the visitors came strong in the third and forced the game into overtime. Alexander scored the winning register. The score:

FALL RIVER	PROVIDENCE
Alexander, lr	lr, K. Williams
Pierce, rr	rr, Thompson
Jean, c	c, Brown
Hardy, b	b, Lyons
Purcell, g	g, Conley

Summary—Score: Fall River 8, Providence 7. Rushes: Alexander 13, Williams 5. Stops: Purcell 55, Conley 72. Goals: Alexander 4, Pierce 2, Hardy 2, Williams 3, Thompson 4. Fouls: Jean 2. Referee: Kilgara.

POLO LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct.
New Bedford	61	28	68.5
Fall River	57	37	65.4
Providence	49	37	57.0
Hartford	40	44	47.6
Worcester	34	51	40.0
Lowell	31	52	37.3

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS

Fall River 8, Providence 7. (Overtime.)

Worcester 10, Hartford 5.

GAMES TONIGHT

Lowell at Providence.

POLO NOTES

Providence plays here tomorrow night.

It is expected that Harry Thompson will be back in the Providence line-up when the team comes here tomorrow night. Fans hope so for with the tall fellow in there the Providence line-up is regarded as one of the best in the league. This would give the new Lowell club a severe test and if successful fans will prepare to "watch 'em climb."

After a few more games when the locals develop the team work that they are capable of displaying, local fans can look to see some of the best polo of the season.

Sox Quigley has already made a hit with the fans. He resembles Bob Griffith in action. He's a fast skater and a good blocker, a pretty nifty floor worker and a hard and accurate driver.

Red Williams, Bill Blount and Bill Cusick also made good with those at the last game, while of course Fordie Harkins always goes big. At last fans are completely satisfied with the line-up and are anxious for the other good teams to visit Lowell.

YOUNG GARDNER KAYOS KENNEY

Many Lowell people attended the big benefit boxing show staged by the Boston lodge of Elks in Mechanics hall, Boston, last night. A record crowd turned out. More than 1000 women and a large delegation of wounded soldiers were at the ring-side.

The program was one of great length and of rare excellence. There were several real fights and a number of exhibitions. Champions Leonard, Lynch and Britton, who were expected failed to appear. Johnny Wilson, middleweight champion, Mike O'Dowd, former middleweight title holder, Eddie Shevlin and many other notables were on hand to do their bit.

Lowell fans were particularly interested in Georgie Brooks (Young Gardner), who met K. O. Jimmy Kenney of Wakefield in a real bout. The Lowell lad was in great form and he completely outclassed the K. O. artist. He succeeded in applying the K. O. on Kenney in three rounds. Eddie Tremblay knocked out Jack Savage in seven rounds. Three round exhibitions were given by the following:

Mike O'Dowd vs. Pat McCarthy, Johnny Wilson vs. Tommy McFarland, Eddie Shevlin vs. Pat McCarthy, Eddie Mead vs. Willie Jackson, George Thompson vs. Frankie Daly, Tommy Gill vs. Shaver O'Brien, Annie Rather vs. Young Palmer, Johnny Murray vs. Charley Eakins.

THREE TEN-ROUND BOUTS ON TONIGHT'S CARD

Charley Spepard, who has been secured to box Larry Burns in one of the 10-round bouts at the Crescent A. A. tonight in place of Steve Kennedy, who withdrew, is well and favorably known in this city. He resided in Lowell for some time after coming from New York and performed satisfactorily at local clubs. Many feel that he will give Burns a better battle than Kennedy and declare that the substitution makes the card more attractive.

Johnny Young Avila of Lowell has the chance of his career tonight, when he meets Billy Duffy of Everett in a 10-round event. If Avila makes good against the rugged Everett lad he will be kept busy with offers. Duffy has shown his wares here before and fans know just what he can do. They also have a good line on Avila and all predict that this number ought to be a hummer.

In the third 10-round event Barney Burke, a very satisfactory Lawrence boxer, and Steve Gustin, who gained considerable fame by his participation in the recent Olympic games, will perform. Gustin a short time ago boxed Al Diamond of Lowell and was given the decision over the speedy local boy after a whirlwind encounter. He injured Diamond's jaw in the bout as a result of his heavy hitting. In Burke he will tackle a good, hard-hitting and aggressive performer and the tussle is expected to fly when they start over the 10-round journey.

DEMPSEY-WILLARD BOUT LABOR DAY

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Tex Rickard, boxing promoter, announced yesterday that the Dempsey-Willard fight which Dempsey announced in Los Angeles yesterday was off, has been postponed with the consent of both participants until Labor day, Sept. 5.

Rickard said he would stage a bout on that day between Willard and the winner of the Dempsey-Carpentier bout, under the terms of Willard's existing contract.

"For various reasons I have decided to postpone the Dempsey-Willard match until Labor day," said Rickard. "While both Dempsey and Willard are willing and eager to observe the original contract and meet in Madison square garden on March 17, I have decided that the contest had better be staged in the open following the Dempsey-Carpentier match of July 2.

"The surprising demand for tickets for the Dempsey-Willard bout makes it clear that the garden would accommodate but a fraction of those who desire to see the bout. Willard has absolute confidence in his ability to regain the championship and has impressed many followers of boxing. A demand has been created that he be matched with the winner of the Dempsey-Carpentier bout.

"I shall, therefore, erect a large open-air arena for the international contest and stage a match between Willard and the winner of the Dempsey-Carpentier bout under the existing contract on Sept. 5. This change of date is made with the consent and approval of both Dempsey and Willard."

Rickard said he intends to erect an open arena in the vicinity of this city this spring and transfer his boxing organization to that site during the summer months. During the open-air period he will stage a series of championship bouts in all weight classes bringing together the titleholder and the most formidable contender in each of the recognized divisions.

The arena will seat at least 50,000 spectators and will permit the offering of large purses or a percentage of the gate receipts without handicap even under the recent ruling of the New York state boxing commission fixing a maximum charge of $15 a seat. While definite plans have not been completed for the proposed bouts it is expected that in addition to Carpentier, Dempsey and Willard, such champions as Leonard, Kilbane, Wilson and others will take part in contests.

Work on Arena

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Work on constructing the open air arena for the proposed bout between Jack Dempsey and Jess Willard on Labor day will be started in a month, Tex Rickard announced today.

Willard Satisfied

LAWRENCE, Kas., Feb. 3.—Postponement of the Dempsey-Willard bout from March 17 to Labor day, is agreeable to him, Jess Willard said here today.

"It's news to me, but if Tex Rickard wants to postpone the bout until after the champion's match with Carpentier, I am willing," he said.

SALEM HIGH SCHOOL DEFEATS LOWELL

Its seventh game and its first defeat was the record set up yesterday afternoon by the Lowell high school basketball five when it opposed the quintet of the Salem high school in Salem. The score was 26 to 19. When Salem visited this city and played on strange floor they lost to the locals by one point. Although some of the Lowell players claim they were unjustly handicapped by penalties, they are not discouraged at losing the game, for it may make them hunt harder in the two remaining games with Reading and Swampscott. The summary:

SALEM	LOWELL
Charette, rf	lf, Davis
Brown, lf	rf, Hunt
Wentworth, c	c, Brockmann
Rosenthal, rb	lf, Ordway
Therrien, lb	rf, McAdams

Goals from the floor—Wentworth 6, Rosenthal 2, Therrien 2, Brown 2, Charette, Ordway, Hunt. Goals from fouls—Brown 8, Ordway 6. Referee—McLaughlin.

DENIAL BY SOUTHWORTH

ARMORY, Ohio, Feb. 3.—Commenting on a despatch from Pittsburg that he had written a letter saying he was satisfied with a trade which transferred him to the Boston National League club, Billy Southworth today announced that the letter had been intercepted and that he did not feel happy over having a winning team to play a losing aggregation.

ANOTHER "CY" MORGAN

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Cyril Morgan, latest of a long line of pitchers of that surname to take the nickname "Cy," was enrolled as a member of the Braves today. Morgan came up from Middleboro to sign his contract. He had a record of mowing down opponents in the Eastern league last year with 23 victories and seven defeats while pitching for the Springfield club.

LEW McCARTHY RECOVERS

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 3.—Lew McCarthy, Cardinal catcher, has entirely recovered from injuries received late last season when an automobile driven by Hankie Manville was in a smashup at Cambridge, Mass., according to a letter accompanying McCarthy's signed contract, which was received by Manager Rickey today. McCarthy is wintering at Catawissa, Pa.

CATHOLIC BOWLING LEAGUE CONTESTS

The Mathews of North Billerica took three points from the C.M.A.C. in the contests of the Catholic bowling league last night. The Y.M.C.I. got away with four points from the C.Y.M.I. by rolling up the high team total of 1537, including the following team singles: 504, 524, 509.

Those with singles of 100 or over were: Maloney 105, 105, 113; Ouimette 101, 101; Smith 136, 106; Hindle 105; Sullivan 101, Buckley 114, Brennan 111, O'Connell 101, Flynn 104, 107; Lutender 109, Schombom 111, 105; Delchanty 106; Bernier 104, 106, 111; Bellemare 116. The summary:

Mathews, North Billerica—Lutender 253, B. Collins 280, Reardon 257, Schombom 312, Delchanty 282. Total 1424.

C.M.A.C.—Desloges 275, Trudeau 271, Bernier 321, Bellemare 293, Geoffroy 265. Total 1419.

Y.M.C.I.—Maloney 323, Ouimette 302, Smith 341, Bray 275, Hindle 292. Total 1437.

C.Y.M.I.—Sullivan 291, Buckley 286, Brennan 297, O'Connell 255, Flynn 308. Total 1467.

MEETING POSTPONED

The meeting of the Catholic Bowling league scheduled for this evening at Mathew hall has been postponed until Sunday afternoon. All those interested in the doings of the league should attend the meeting.

TO BLOCK ELOPEMENTS

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 3.—Elopements in Nebraska are to be made more difficult by terms of a bill offered in the state senate yesterday. It provides that applications for a marriage license must rest in the office of the county judge 15 days before being granted and parents or guardians must be notified by registered letter.

PAYSON DANA REFUSES LEGION'S CALL

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Payson Dana, state civil service commissioner, declined yesterday to appear before the state executive committee of the American Legion next Wednesday, in compliance with a request sent to him on Jan. 20, by the committee, "to show cause why he should not be expelled from the Legion in accordance with the resolution of the Middlesex county council of the legion on Jan. 8."

The reasons for Mr. Dana's refusal were stated in a letter to Leo A. Spillane, state adjutant of the legion, who immediately dictated a reply to Mr. Dana expressing regret that the commissioner would not appear before the committee and urging him to reconsider his decision. At the Legion headquarters last night it was intimated that the executive committee will take some action on the matter next Wednesday, whether Mr. Dana comes to the meeting or not.

Legion members throughout the state took exception to certain remarks Mr. Dana is reported to have made at the dinner of the Twentieth Century club on Jan. 5 concerning the rights of ex-service men under the rules of civil service. As a result, legion headquarters has received many resolutions from various posts demanding that action be taken by the executive committee to obtain a retraction from Mr. Dana or that he be expelled from the Legion.

The particular resolution which brought about the action of the executive committee was adopted by the Middlesex county council on Jan. 8, asking that Mr. Dana resign or retract his statements, or that he be expelled from the legion. The council represents approximately 30,000 members.

Mr. Dana in his letter declared that he had made no remarks derogatory of the American legion, branding as untrue and incorrect reports that he had, and stated that his remarks were confined solely to proposed legislation giving absolute preference under civil service to veterans who had received a passing mark in examinations.

BULL BREAKS LOOSE AND CAUSES PANIC

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 3.—Many persons were placed in great peril at Vera Cruz yesterday when a bull being brought to this city to provide opposition for noted bull fighters broke loose and caused a general panic when it charged into a crowd. Many bulls imported from Spain have arrived here, large throngs gathering to see them unloaded.

STOWAWAY FROM SAMOA

First to Reach Boston Begs to Remain After Feed of Doughnuts and Boston Baked Beans

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Doughnuts and Boston baked beans have cast a spell upon Felix Foster, 17, the first stowaway from Samoa to make this port. Since his initial meal of New England delicacies, he has begged hard between bites to remain and it is believed that he will be landed tomorrow.

Foster declares that his father is an American.

A hen cackles after laying an egg to denote pleasure.

SENDS ULTIMATUM TO TURK NATIONALISTS

PARIS, Feb. 3.—Admiral Du Mesnil, commanding the French naval forces in the near east, has sent an ultimatum to the Turkish nationalist government at Angora, demanding the immediate release of French soldiers captured by the nationalists in recent engagements, says a Constantinople despatch to the Matin. He has threatened to bombard localities occupied by nationalist forces if his demands are not met.

DEMAND FOR HELP SHOWS DECREASE

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—A slight increase in the number of positions filled during the past month was reported by G. Harry Dunderdale, superintendent of the state employment office today. The depression of previous months, however, continued, he said.

The demand for help from employers showed a decrease of 56 per cent. as compared with January, 1920, but an increase of 6 per cent. over the previous month.

The attendance at the office of applicants for employment, taken one day each week, showed an average of 2547, the largest of any month of which this is a record, according to the report.

During the month 2516 service men (1896 soldiers and 620 sailors) visited the office in search of employment, 101 of whom were given introduction cards to employers and 52 obtained employment.

PETROLEUM POSSESSIONS

TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras, Feb. 3.—Negotiations for petroleum concessions have been begun by the Baroness of Strabolgi of London, who arrived in Honduras recently.

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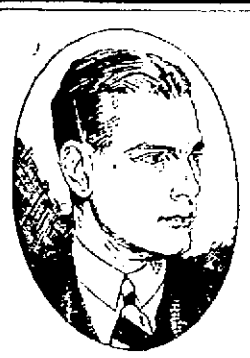

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TO CRUSH LABOR ORGANIZATIONS

Object of Railroads in Move to Abrogate Wage Agreements, Say Union Leaders

Organization Heads Declare There is No Justification for Wage Cuts

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—Arguments against abrogation of the national wage agreements between the railroads and their employes, already laid before President Wilson and members of congress by Brotherhood leaders, were presented today to the railroad labor board.

Since the request of W. W. Atterbury of the Pennsylvania lines for relief from these agreements was laid before the board Monday, representatives of the employes have been preparing a rebuttal to be presented by B. M. Jewell, president of the Railway Employes' department of the American Federation of Labor.

Members of the board indicated that a decision may be reached in executive session tomorrow. Mr. Atterbury declared the railroads need for economies he said could be put into effect was so urgent that many of the roads faced bankruptcy and there was no time to confer with employes on the abrogation of the agreements.

"We are convinced," said a telegram to President Wilson, signed by Mr. Jewell and six other organization leaders," that he (Mr. Atterbury) wishes to take advantage of the temporary unemployment and the unfortunate economic condition of the railroad workers, which the railroads themselves have intensified to crush our labor organizations.

"We shall show that there is no economic justification for wage reductions and that a reduction in the general cost of living is not dependent upon a reduction in our wages and that of other wage earners.

"There is no doubt that the temporary requirements of the railroads could be financed by the railroad bankers, were they as much interested in the maintenance of railroad credit as some of them evidently are in crushing labor organizations and reducing wages. If the public expects us to maintain the splrited letter of the law and to rely upon judicial settlement of differences in an orderly way, we must be protected against the ill-advised efforts of Mr. Atterbury and his associates who are violating the procedure established by law and because of an absurd and impossible obsession for destroying labor organizations are resorting to methods which are indefensible and opposed to the public welfare."

At the same time Mr. Atterbury supplemented his statement before the labor board Monday by a message to President Wilson showing the increase in number of employes and in payrolls during the period of government control.

"In the year of 1917," the message said, "before government operation was adopted, the railway employed 392,828 machinists, boilermakers, blacksmiths, electricians, airbrake men, car inspectors, car repairers, other skilled shop employes and machinists' helpers and apprentices. In 1920, when the number of locomotives and cars to be maintained was only slightly larger than in 1917, they had 533,774, an increase of 140,945 or 47 per cent. The total wages paid to these employes in 1917 was $317,810,519, while in 1920, after the advance in wages granted by the railroad labor board last July, their wages were running at the rate of approximately $800,000,000 a year, an increase over 1917 of 150 per cent.

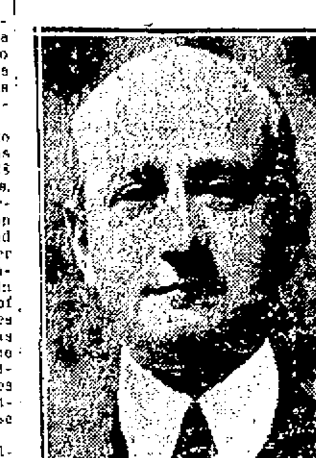
"Another class of employes included in one of the national agreements is the clerks. In 1917, the railways employed 184,068 clerks, while in 1920 when business was normal, they were employing 238,693 clerks, an increase of 29 per cent. The total wages paid to clerks in 1917 was $189,009,506. After the wage award made by the railroad labor board, the wages of the clerks were running, as near as can be estimated, at the rate of $399,300,000 a year, an increase of 112 per cent."

Recent earthquakes in Chile caused mountains in the Andes range to sink an average of 160 feet.

CHALIFOUX IN CHARGE

Rejoicing of Chamber of Commerce Members Over His Election as President

The chamber of commerce ship was sailing as usual on an unruffled sea today. The transfer of command from the hands of retiring President William N. Goodell to those of the newly elected president, Harold L. Chalifoux, was accomplished with scarcely a ripple appearing on the surface. For awhile Mr. Goodell is to remain a volunteer officer of the quarter deck to offer such assistance as he may to the new commander in becoming familiar with his duties.



HAROLD L. CHALIFOUX

There was much rejoicing over Mr. Chalifoux's election among the members of the chamber today. The election of a president had been more or less in the air so far as the knowledge of the general membership was concerned, and although Mr. Chalifoux's name had been mentioned in connection with the place, it was not definitely known that he would consent to assume the burden connected with the job.

The new president is well known in Lowell as head of the Chalifoux company. He lives in Boston. That is he sleeps there, but he spends a large part of his waking hours here, and he retains his citizenship in Lowell. He is 34 years old. He was born here and was educated in the city's public schools. He graduated from Harvard in the class of '09. He is one of the largest real estate owners and taxpayers in the city. He has been prominent in many moves for civic betterment.

MORE MEN THAN WOMEN HAVE APPENDICITIS

Medical reports show men are more subject to appendicitis although many sudden cases occur among women. It can be guarded against by preventing intestinal infection. The intestinal antiseptic, Adler-i-ka, acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel, removing all foul, decaying matter which might cause infection. It brings out matter you never thought was in your system and which may have been poisoning you for months. Adler-i-ka is EXCELLENT for gas on the stomach.—Green's Drug Store.—Adv.

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LOWELL FIRE FIGHTER SUFFERED TEN YEARS

Simpson Says Tanlac Has Overcome His Troubles and He Never Expects to Be Without It Again

Berry Simpson, a popular member of the Lowell Fire department, residing at 2?? Methuen street, is now an ardent champion of the merits of Tanlac since it has proved so beneficial to him.

Mr. Simpson, who is headquartered at the Central Station, has been on the fire department for the past sixteen years and his efficiency and loyalty to duty is attested by his long term of service.

"Tanlac has put me in the best of health," says his statement, "with a gain of ten pounds in weight. I don't feel the need of any more right now, but for emergency's sake I am going to keep it on hand. I can't speak too highly of the medicine for what it has done in my case.

"For the past ten years, that is, until I got Tanlac, my system seemed in bad shape and I was getting badly run-down. My appetite went back on me and my food never tasted right. I got nervous and felt unfit all the time, and my energy all seemed to leave me. My blood was in bad condition somehow or other, as every fall and spring boils came on my neck and almost drove me mad. I was too nervous and miserable to ever sleep well. My kidneys also bothered me and often I had the worst kind of dizzy spells. No matter where I happened to be, when one of these dizzy spells struck me, I just had to stop.

"I lost weight and got to feeling so badly that one of my friends noticed it and urged me to try Tanlac. So I took his advice, got Tanlac and the result is, I'm a new man. I eat like a wolf and feel as strong as a mule. In fact, I have not felt so well in ten years. I sleep like a log and my nerves are as steady as can be. I simply would not be without Tanlac for anything. It certainly is wonderful how quickly the right medicine will get a person to feeling right again."

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

By Theatres' own Press Agents.

THE STRAND

"The Misleading Lady" with Bert Lytell appearing in the leading role, opens a three days' engagement at the Strand beginning with matinee today. It's a picturization of the famous New York stage success of the same name, which had such a vogue during its run. The original play is by Charles Goddard and Paul Dickey. Lytell plays the role of Jack Craigen, the engineer just returned from a big construction job in Africa, and who comes to New York and meets a lovely society girl, Helen Steele. Craigen's friends know that he is an incorrigible woman-hater, and gets Helen, who is decidedly stage-struck, to make Craigen propose, as an example of her theatrical skill. It is done, but Helen does not enjoy her reward, a place as leading lady in a millionaire's "little theatre." She is snatched away, struggling, to Craigen's isolated hunting lodge in the Adirondacks, and there is treated as she has never been treated before. Craigen's brusque wooing first enrages her and later captivates her, so much so that when her fiance, with murder in his brain, comes to claim her, she refuses him and chooses Craigen. The action of the story is briskness itself, with never a slow movement, and a rich humor pervades the whole story.

In one of those girlish roles she enacts so cleverly—this time a nameless child forced to flee from a cruel guardian because of constant abuse—Shirley Mason is coming in her latest Fox production, "Girl of My Heart." Miss Shirley has portrayed various types of girl characters since becoming a star, but it is said that in none has she given a more convincing performance than in her latest screen success. Raymond McKee plays opposite the star.

OPERA HOUSE

Miss Myra Murray, who is portraying the character of the captivating divorcee in "Daybreak," the week's presentation by the Lowell Players at the Opera House, looks and acts the part to perfection. Miss Murray is certainly "easy to look at" in her various gowns worn during the progress of the play. Her acting, too, is indeed praiseworthy. Miss Fields' dramatic power was never better demonstrated, while Milton Byron, Maxwell Driscoll and the rest are commendable. Next week's offering will be "Thelma," dramatized from Marie Corelli's famous novel. It promises to be one of the most gorgeous productions in local stock circles.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Mack Sennett's latest comedy sensation, "Down on the Farm," is the featured attraction for the last three days of the current week. This big comedy features such well known funmakers as Ben Turpin, Louisa Fazenda, Marie Prevost and numerous other Sennett favorites. It is a riot of fun from the time that the champion rooster of the farm puts the sun to work in the morning until to the very end. Though the plot is melodramatic and concerns the romance of a pretty maiden of rustic life, a menacing landlord and a harrassed and beautiful wife, it has been treated in such a new and different way that it is like seeing melodrama for the first time. "Love's Battle," starring Eileen Sedgwick and Joe Moore, is the second feature on the bill. It is a very entertaining story. A comedy, news and Burton Holmes travel pictures round out the bill.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Princess Wah-Letka, the Cherokee Indian mystic and occultist, who is at the B. F. Keith theatre this week, is proving one of the most striking attractions the theatre has had this season. Her answering of questions from the audience is accomplished without any claptrap or fuss or feathers. It is a most remarkable exhibition. On Friday afternoon, after the regular performance, all ladies who so desire, may remain at a reception given to the princess, where questions can be asked freely. The other features of this bill include: George M. Rosener, famous character actor; McGrath & Deeds, comedians; Dunham & O'Malley, chatterers; June and Irene Melva, xylophoniste, and Clairmont Brothers, famous aerialists.

RIALTO THEATRE

A double feature attraction featuring Mary Miles Minter in a human interest story, "Eyes of the Heart," and Ruby DeRemer and Edmund Breese in "His Temporary Wife," is the offering of the Rialto theatre for the latter part of the week. It is a program heralded as one of the best of the present season and it should draw heavily for the week-end. Mary Miles Minter's story will have an instant appeal to all who see it for it applies the charming personality of that well known star in her best mood. "His Temporary Wife" is taken from Robert Ames Bennett's well known magazine story and portrays Miss DeRemer to the best advantage. The program also carries a Christie comedy, "Wedding Blues," and the Fox news. See it.

"ONE HOUR BEFORE DAWN"

H. B. Warner, the sterling screen star, will appear in "One Hour Before Dawn" at the Strand the first three days of next week. It is said to be the most baffling and thrilling mystery story ever screened. He is dared into being hypnotized and while in a trance is commanded to kill a man he hates at one hour before dawn. Morning discloses the murder and there commences the mystery. It's a story that will challenge your power of deduction. Plan to see it.

FRITZ KREISLER

Here are a few reports on recent appearances of Fritz Kreisler, who plays at our Strand theatre on Monday evening, Feb. 21. The concerts were reported in the latest issue of Musical America. The four correspondents said:

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Jan. 24.—Through the enterprise of George Jacob, added to the drawing power of the artist himself, Fritz Kreisler played to a record-breaking audience at the Grand Opera House on Jan. 17. All available stage seats were taken as well as much standing room, and the audience gave the artist a veritable ovation. The program was largely made up of familiar works. Carl Lamson furnished worthy accompaniments.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 23.—Fritz Kreisler came and cast his effulgence upon us—3000 of us—and left us happier and wiser, and himself richer, for having come. It was a grand evening for Kreislerians, it was Kreisler in the flesh, Kreisler in original composition and Kreisler in many transcriptions. He offered many other lovely numbers as well. Other fiddlers may come and go, but Fritz Kreisler is always a god, at least Pittsburg thinks so. Carl Lamson at the piano wended his way through the many favorites that the soloist offered in his usual competent manner.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 22.—One of the most notable audiences ever collected here in honor of a great artist filled the Athenaeum on the occasion of Fritz Kreisler's appearance under the Philharmonic society. Every available seat was taken in the auditorium the capacity of which was recently enlarged.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 17. The most memorable concert of the season was given by Fritz Kreisler on Jan. 13, at Convention hall under the local management of Louis W. Shouse. An audience of 8000 with a large out-of-town representation heard this king among violinists, who was assisted by Carl Lamson, his capable accompanist.

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Of heavy silk and wool, in broken styles but in all sizes; $5.00 and $6.00 values, $3.98

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MEN'S SHIRTS
All wool flannel shirts, in grey and green; $5.00 and $6.00 values $2.98

MEN'S PAJAMAS
Of heavy domet flannelette, with double silk frogs; $3.50 and $4.00 values, $1.98

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All wool suits, in medium and heavy weights; $6.00 to $8.00 values $3.00

INFANTS' LONG SLIPS
With embroidered yoke or plain shirred style; $1.00 and $1.25 values .... 69¢

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All wool and new Spring styles, made with yoke and inverted pleats in back, sizes 8 to 17 years; $12.00 values.......... $8.75

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Eels, lb.	28c
Spawn	30c
Sliced Red Salmon, lb.	28c
Sliced Haddock, lb.	15c
Sliced Boston Bluefish, lb.	15c
Halibut (sliced)	35c
Swordfish (sliced)	35c
Steak Cod	15c
Butterfish	29c
Clams (shelled), qt.	12c
Clams, qt.	49c
Mussels, qt	10c
Boiled Lobsters	55c
Shell Oysters, doz.	20c
Cod Cheeks, lb.	22c
Live Lobsters	50c
Scallops, lb.	49c
Oysters, qt.	80c
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IT'S A SPECIAL

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LAST TIMES TODAY
"LOVE'S PROTEGE"
With
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AMATEURS TONIGHT

Word of Cheer for Home Brewers

GREENSBORO, N. C., Feb. 3.—A word of cheer for home brewers was sounded here today by Wayne B. Wheeler, counsel for the Anti-Saloon league, attending the state convention of the organization. "Tightening up" activities of those interested in prohibition enforcement would not be directed for the present at those making intoxicating beverages for their own use, he said, although they were technically violating the law.

Beaten With Baseball Bat

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Joseph Marotta, foreman of a garment-making shop in the South End where a strike is in progress, was beaten with a baseball bat today while on his way to work. His injuries were severe but he will recover. Two men were arrested on a charge of assault with intent to kill.

Blow Safe and Escape With $30,000

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Feb. 3.— Robbers blew the safe of the state bank at Largo, 16 miles south of here early today, and got away with $30,000.

15 NUNS DRIVEN OUT BY FIRE AT LACONIA, N. H.

LACONIA, N. H., Feb. 3.—Fifteen sisters who made their home in the parochial school building of the Sacred Heart parish, were driven out by fire early today. Mother Superior St. Fudentienne was awakened by the smoke and aroused the others. They were able to save most of their personal effects and some furnishings. The building was badly damaged, the loss being estimated at $50,000. The cause of the fire has not been ascertained.

The burning of the building gave 650 children a temporary vacation while arrangements were being made for holding school sessions elsewhere.

TARIFF BILL STILL BEFORE THE SENATE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The Fordney emergency tariff bill, surveying a day of political jockeying yesterday, still was lingering before the senate today although chances of the measure ever coming to a final vote had been reduced to uncertainty by the overwhelming defeat of the cloture resolution which reopened the gates for another flood of oratory. The bill had precedence over all business except from 12 to 2 o'clock.

NON-UNION BARBER SHOPS PICKETED

Steps to prevent union barbers from patronizing non-union barber shops on Thursday afternoons were taken this noon when John B. Curtin, president of Barbers' union, local 323, ordered non-union barber shops to be picketed this afternoon.

Mr. Curtin stated this noon that repeated complaints had been made to him about members of the Barbers' union patronizing other shops on Thursday afternoons when union shops are closed. He said that he thought it only fair that the barbers should be made to realize that if they wanted men to patronize union shops they must do it themselves.

The president said he did not want to take any radical steps in the matter and did not wish the public to misinterpret the placing of pickets in front of non-union shops. Those barbers who are seen patronizing non-union shops on Thursday afternoons or work in them will not be interfered with, but will simply be reported to their locals, he said.

"These organizations will deal with each individual case as they see fit, but under any circumstances, he declared, it is most certain that they will not get away without being fined. A second offense will mean a suspension from the union, it is understood.

It is estimated that there are a great many non-union barber shops in the city and those in the union have been complaining of late that considerable business has been taken away on Thursday afternoons. At three successive meetings of the Barbers' union, however, a motion to bring back the all-day Thursday work in union barber shops was voted down by a large majority.

President Curtin declared this morning that the barber's business was hard hit by the war. The young fellows who entered the service were either presented a shaving kit by the Red Cross or by some friend and many of them since leaving the army have continued to practise the custom gained in the army of shaving themselves.

"The barber's profit is in the young fellows," said Mr. Curtin, "but we have lost much of their patronage since the war. Along with their shave or haircut most of the young men want a 'little extra,' or some hair tonic or a massage. I think it proper that some action should be taken to stop members of our own union from giving trade to non-union shops," he averred. "I do not believe, however, in interfering with any other man's business, and pickets on duty will not employ any 'Red' tactics. They will simply take note of what they see and report it to their locals."

Conference on Disarmament

Continued

to the discretion of the president.

This is the first definite action taken by any congressional committee looking to a conference for general disarmament. The senate foreign relations committee has reported out a resolution by Senator Borah, republican, Idaho, proposing negotiations among the United States, Great Britain and Japan looking to a reduction of naval building in the future.

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WILL HONOR PAYSON SMITH

The Massachusetts Schoolmasters' club will give a dinner at the Boston City club on Saturday, February 12, at 1 p. m., to Payson Smith, the commissioner of education of the state, in appreciation of his decision to remain at the head of the state's educational affairs notwithstanding more remunerative offers that have come to him from other states and cities. The executive committee of the club are planning a program of speakers who will represent the various fields of education. Thomas E. Finnegan, commissioner of education of the state of Pennsylvania, will give the principal address.

FIRE IN ASH BARREL

The alarm from box 115 at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon, was for a fire in an ash barrel at the corner of Moody and Cabot streets. At 2.50 o'clock, a telephone alarm was sent in for a small fire at 39 Chase avenue.

CHARLEY WHITE SUSPENDED

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 3.—Charley White, Chicago lightweight boxer, has been suspended for six months by the state boxing commission, for stalling in a recent bout in Kenosha, it is announced today.

Dawes Turns on Investigators

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dier who cannot come in to be heard."

Grafters Followed Army

Asked about grafters who followed the American army to France, Mr. Dawes said:

"Yes, they were there, some of the most despicable characters on earth, trying to help the army by selling it things it needed at exorbitant figures. There was one man caught and deported. What's his name? Oh, what's the use. I am not a muckraker. He was a traitor and I wish we could have shot him."

General Dawes praised the men in the army, saying it was the fashion nowadays to condemn them.

There were many women at the hearing but the general swore constantly.

"Considering everything," he declared, "the record of accomplishment of the war department in getting ready for war was a greater accomplishment than that of France or Great Britain in the same period of time. I don't believe you can pick flaws there and I am not speaking as a democrat.

"Long after this committee is dead and gone, the accomplishments of the American army will stand as an everlasting blaze of glory. You have tried to make a mountain out of a mole hill but thank God, the army was American not republican, nor democratic."

Asserting that the people were tired of war talk and fault-finding General Dawes, banging the table said:

"There's no news in it. If I wasn't here strutting around and swearing there would be no news in this."

Rips Out Streak of Oaths

He ripped out a streak of oaths as he took up the attempt in some quarters to criticize General Pershing.

"It will be 25 or 50 years before Pershing's place in history is fixed," he said. "He could not have won the war had he sought to put popularity above duty. And let me tell you—the doughboys now complaining will live to see the day when they will be proud that they fought under him." Declaring authority and responsibility in the army should be centralized in peace times as well as during war, General Dawes said the American army was "deteriorating again into a bureaucracy which is bound to prove inefficient."

"You members of congress who listen to every whipper-snapping bureau chief who comes running to you with a tale of woe are largely responsible," he shouted.

He pleaded that the army and its officers be "protected from muckrakers who pick flyspecks."

Flays Pinhead Politicians

"Look at the pinhead politicians who are raising hell about promotion for men who earned them in France," he exclaimed. "They're doing it for petty reasons. It's a dirty shame. I wasn't in the regular army, but I can be fair."

He said the next war would break out overnight and that the army and navy probably would get into a row as to which was to boss the affair.

He declared the United States aviation program had been a "terrible failure" largely because of over-confidence and inexperience.

"Even if we didn't have the planes, we had the aviators—the best in the world," he added.

He declared the government was purchasing its supplies "in the same wasteful and disgraceful manner" as the army did when the United States entered the war. The president has authority, he contended, to create centralized business control. Heavy taxation and a desire for economy had put the public in a frame of mind favorable to such a change, he said, adding that it might be inaugurated during the next administration "if pinheads" who would be affected were not permitted "to stab it in the back."

STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Pressure against speculative shares was resumed at the outset of today's stock market. Stiffer money tendencies invited further selling for both accounts. Oils were again the heaviest features with steels and specialties, the latter including mail order shares. General Asphalt, Mexican Petroleum and Royal Dutch lost a point or more in the first few sales and Crucible Steel showed a decline of 2¾. Sears, Roebuck added moderately to its steady recession and Northern Pacific, yesterday's strongest stock, reacted 1¼. Exchange on London was inclined to ease.

The market continued to be influenced mainly by prospects of higher rates for money, call loans repeating yesterday's opening quotation of 8 per cent. Oils, steels, equipments and shippings extended their losses, declining 1 to 3 points from yesterday's final prices. Coppers and minor specialties, including Cocoa Cola, also yielded. A rally led by Texas & Pacific and Industrial Alcohol, effected recoveries of 1 to 2½. The rebound was of short duration, however, the list falling back again before noon. Trading was limited chiefly to small individual transactions.

Local traction shares relieved the dullness of the noon hour, Brooklyn Rapid Transit, Interborough, Consolidated preferred and Manhattan Elevated gained 1 to 2 points, presumably on latest developments in the transit problem. General Asphalt and American Tobacco were among the other strong issues.

High grade rails as well as the prominent oils and shippings became involved in the more active selling of the final hour. The 9 per cent. money rate afforded an excuse for an extension of the reaction. The closing was weak.

New York Clearings

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Exchanges $743,950,705; balances $70,151,285.

Cotton Market

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Cotton futures opened barely steady. March 13.50; May 13.80; July 14.20; Oct. 14.60; Dec. 14.80.

Cotton futures closed barely steady. March 13.18; May 13.52; July 13.95; October 14.22; December 14.40.

Money Market

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Time loans, firmer; 60 days, 90 days and six months 7 per cent.

Call money strong; high 9; low 8; ruling rate 8; closing bid 8; offered at 9; last loan 9. Bank acceptances 6.

Liberty bonds closed: 3½s, 91.84; first 4s, 86.80 bid; second 4s, 86.50; first 4¼s, 87.00; second 4¼s, 86.42; third 4¼s, 89.84; fourth 4¼s, 86.64; Victory 3¾s, 97.16; Victory 4¾s, 97.14.

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chal	34½	34½	34½
Alaska Gold	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Am Agri Chem	55½	54½	54½
Am Beet Sug	41½	41½	41½
Am Bosch Mag	54¼	54	54
Am Can	29¾	29	29¾
do pf	85¾	85⅞	85⅞
Am Car Fdy	121¾	120¾	120¾
Am Cot Oil	21⅝	21⅝	21⅝
Am H & L	9	9	9
do pf	42	41	41
Am Ice	43	43	43
Am Int Corp	44⅝	43	43
Am Smelt	42½	41¼	41¼
do pf	82½	82¼	82½
Am Sug	91	90	90
Am Sumatra	79	78⅞	78¾
Am Wool	65¼	65	65
do pf	95⅜	95⅜	95⅜
Am Zinc	9	8⅝	8⅝
Anaconda	38⅝	38⅛	38¼
Atch	81½	81¼	81¼
do pf	67⅞	67⅞	67⅞
At Gulf	67⅝	67⅜	67⅜
Baldwin	88⅝	86⅝	86⅝
B & O	33⅝	33	33
Beth Steel A	53	52½	52½
do B	56¼	55	55
do pf 8 pc	104⅞	104⅞	104⅞
Booth Fish	5	5	5
B R T	13½	12½	12⅝
Cal Pete	34½	33	33
Can Pac	116½	115	115½
Cent Lea	40¼	39½	39½
do pf	90	90	90
Cerro de Pasca	28¼	28	28
Chandler Motors	70	69	69½
Ches & Ohio	58½	58	58
C & Gt W	8½	8¼	8¼
do pf	18¼	18¼	18¼
C M & St P	27	26⅞	26⅞
do pf	42⅝	41⅝	41⅝
do N W	68½	67	67
C R I & P	25¼	25	25
Chile	12½	12¼	12
Chino	22⅝	22¼	22¼
Cont Candy	2½	2¾	2¾
Con Gas	78	78	78
Cont Pro	69⅛	69	69
Cru Steel	91¼	89¼	89¼
Cuba Cane	21½	21⅞	21⅞
Del & Hud	101	101	101
Den & R G	2½	2	2½
do pfd	4⅞	3⅞	4
Erie	13¼	13	13
do pfd	19½	19⅜	19⅜
Fisk Tire	14½	14⅜	14¼
Gen Elec	127½	127	127½
Gen Motors	117⅛	117⅛	117½
Goodrich	40⅞	40½	40½
Gt No pfd	77	76	76
Ill Cen	85½	85½	85½
Inspiration	34½	34⅞	34⅞
Int Nickel	15⅞	15¼	15½
Int Mer Com	5⅝	4⅞	4⅞
do pf	11⅝	11	11½
Int Mer Com	5⅝	4⅞	5⅝
do pf	50½	49⅞	50
Int Paper	58	56⅝	56⅝
Kennecott	19¼	19¼	19¼
K City S	19	18⅞	18⅞
do pf	45¼	45¼	45¼
Lack Steel	52¼	52½	52½
Lehigh Valley	52¼	51¼	52
L & Nash	99¼	99⅛	99⅛
Maxwell	5¼	5¼	5¼
do 1st	8½	8½	8½
Mex Pete	155¼	153⅞	153⅞
Middle States Oil	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
Midvale	36⅞	36½	36½
M K T Com	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
Mo Pac	18⅝	18¼	18¼
do pf	38⅞	38½	38⅞
Nev Cons	11	10⅞	10⅞
*N Y Air B	79	79	79
N Y Cent	71	70⅜	70⅜
N Y N H & H	20½	19⅞	19⅞
Nor & West	98	98	98
No Pac	87⅛	84⅞	84⅞
Ohio Gas	34½	34½	34½
Ont & West	19⅜	18⅜	18⅜
Pan Am	78	72⅞	72⅞
Penn	40⅞	39⅝	40⅛
Pea Gas	36½	36	36
Pierce Arrow	23½	21	21
Pierce Oil	10⅞	10⅜	10⅜
Pitts Coal	57	56	56
P W V	28½	28⅞	28⅞
Pullman	107½	105½	105½
Punta Sugar	45⅞	44½	44½
Ray Cons	13⅜	13⅛	13⅛
Ry St Sp Co	84½	84¼	84¼
Reading	82¼	80⅞	80⅞
Rep I & S	61¾	61	61
Royal D	62½	59¼	59¼
Shell Transport	40	38½	38½
Sinclair	23¼	22¾	22⅝
Sloss	59	56	56
So Pac	96⅞	95½	95½
do rights	19½	18½	18½
So Ry	22	21	21
St L & Frisco	21¼	21	21
Stromberg	36	35⅝	35⅝
Studebaker	56⅝	56	56
Tenn Cop	8⅜	8¼	8¼
Tex Oil	45¼	42	42
Tex Pac	22	21	21
Third Ave	17½	17	17
Tobacco Pro	55	53	53
Trans Continental	9¼	9	9
U Pac	115⅞	[illegible]	115⅞
do pfd	62⅝	62	62
U S Food Pro	22½	22	22
U S I Al	64	62	62
U S [illegible]	167	165	165
U S Rub	63	62⅞	62⅞
U S Steel	82¼	81⅞	81⅞
do pfd	110⅝	110⅝	110⅝
Utah Copper	55	53⅞	53⅞
W[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
do A	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
West Maryland	10	9⅝	9⅝
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
W[illegible]	15	14⅜	14⅜

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BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Sleeping sickness has caused five deaths in this city within a month and 13 other persons have been prostrated by it, Health Commissioner Woodward said today. Health authorities are at a loss to account for the disease and its spread.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Favorable report on the resolution providing for the return from France of the body of an unidentified soldier for burial in the new amphitheatre at Arlington national cemetery was ordered today by the house military committee.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3—Asking restoration of the Payne-Aldrich tariff rates on silk, manufacturers told the house ways and means committee today that they were alarmed at the increasing ability of the Japanese to copy rare patterns which had enabled them to make heavy inroads on American trade.

PARIS, Feb. 3.—A comparative table of taxation in Germany, Great Britain, France and Italy is used to show Germany's ability to bear a greater burden in a joint statement issued today by experts who participated in the Brussels conference.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Favorable report was ordered today by the house agriculture committee on a substitute plan for the senate bill for federal regulation of the meat industry. Under the substitute control of meat packers would be vested in the department of agriculture and stockyards would be placed under the interstate commerce commission.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—The steamship Grottingholm arrived today from Sweden bringing approximately $1,260,000 gold consigned to bankers.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Bankers today confirmed reports that a loan approximating $25,000,000 to the Chilean government would be consummated soon.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Alleged irregularities in the customs service involving largely the payment of gratuities on piers are being investigated here. Collector Byron B. Newton announced today.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 3.—Max Zach, conductor of the St. Louis Symphony orchestra, died today from septic pneumonia. He was ill two weeks.

WEBSTER, Feb. 3.—A movement to raise a fund for the erection of a statue of Daniel Webster in Athens, Greece, in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of Greek independence, was announced today from this town, named in honor of the statesman.

WELLINGTON, N.Z., Feb. 3.—The government in a proclamation has ordered that no motion picture film depicting thieving, robbery, murder or suicide shall be permitted to be shown in the dominion of New Zealand, after May 1 next.

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 3.—M. K. Stewart of Chicago, pilot in the Minneapolis-Chicago air mail service, was killed today when his plane fell near Mendota. His mechanician was injured.

WINSTED, Conn., Feb. 3.—Giordano Candido of Torrington, pleaded guilty in superior court today, to a charge of second degree murder, and was sentenced to life imprisonment. Candido killed Mrs. Angela Pecorara in Torrington, in May, 1917, and a year later a jury found him guilty and he was sentenced to be hanged. The state supreme court granted a new trial.

PARIS, Feb. 3.—France still intends to see that Germany is made to pay her debt in full if her economic condition permits of such payment, Premier Briand informed the chamber of deputies today in presenting the declaration of his ministry on the reparations question.

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 3 (by the Associated Press).—A procession of unemployed, estimated to number 45,000, carrying flags, marched today from City Hall square toward the parliament buildings and the king's palace, demanding work.

FARRELL, Pa., Feb. 3.—The two-story building of the Farrell Dry Goods Co. was burned today with a loss estimated at $400,000.

MILAN, Italy, Feb. 3.—Monsignor Nasalli Rocca will probably succeed Cardinal Ferrari, who died yesterday as archbishop of Milan.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Panama canal tolls in January amounted to $1,095,861, exceeding by $80,000 the previous record. Vessels passing through the canal during the month numbered 282.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The house today voted down, 86 to 23 an amendment to the army appropriation bill proposing reduction of the number of officers from 14,000 to 8500. It then plunged into a fight over the proposal to cut the enlisted strength of the regular army to 150,000 men.

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—Two men arrested today confessed, according to the police that bonds, said to total $500,000 obtained in the robbery of a government mail truck at the union station recently, were secreted in a house on the West Side, and that they had burned 12 pouches.

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Collector John J. Mitchell of the internal revenue office strives to make the road of the income taxpayer as pleasant as possible but he confessed himself stumped today when he found in his mail a letter asking that the writer be exempted from the tax on account of fallen arches. "I'd like to help him," said the collector, "but I cannot recall any part of the tax law that can be interpreted to fit the case."

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Prices were lower in several issues at the opening of the local board today. Edison Electric, Carson Hill and United Fruit were off ½ each. New Haven and United Shoe lifted slightly as exceptions to the almost general trend.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Allouez	21	21	21
Am Pneu pf	5⅝	5	5
Am T & T	99⅛	98⅞	98⅞
Bos El	64¼	64¼	64¼
Bos & Alb	127	127	127
Bos & Me	24⅞	23⅞	23⅞
Cal & Ariz	49	48½	48½
Ca & Hec	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cop Range	33⅞	[illegible]	[illegible]
Davis-Daly	4	[illegible]	[illegible]
East Mfg	21½	21½	21½
Island Oil	4¼	4⅛	4⅛
Isl [illegible]	[illegible]	51	51
Isle Roy	20½	20½	20½
Lake	3	3	3
Mayflower	4¼	4⅛	4¼
Nat Leather	8⅞	8½	8½
Nevada	11	10⅞	10⅞
New Cornelia	16	16	16
N E Tel	95¼	95¼	95¼
No Butte	12	12	12
Osceola	27	27	27
Ray Con	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
Shannon	1¼	1¼	1¼
Superior	4	4	4
Swift & Co	102	101¾	101¾
Swift Int	27⅜	27¼	27¼
Trinity	2⅜	2½	2⅜
U Alex	2½	2½	2½
U Metal	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
U Sh M	38¼	38	38
U S Smelt	33⅞	33¼	33¼
do pf	43¼	43¼	43¼
Ventura	17½	17⅛	17⅛
Walbrf	15	15⅛	15⅛

EQUALITY WITH THE STRONGEST

Argument Advanced for Permanent Naval Policy, by U. S. Navy General Board

Declares Major Ship Remains the Basis of Sea Power—Urges Program

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The major ship remains the basis of sea power and those who argue that the airplane and the submarine have supplanted it are asking the country to "accept hopes for accomplishments," the navy board says in a report to Secretary Daniels, made public today.

"The general board, having kept in touch with naval progress along all lines," says the report, "reiterates its belief in the battleships as forming the principal units of the fleet. Without them the United States cannot hope to cope with existing navies."

Urging that equality in power be the continuing naval policy of the United States, the board says there is no thought of instituting international competitive building and that no other nation can in reason take exception to such a position.

"It cannot justly be construed as a challenge," the report continues. "A policy of equal or substantially equal armaments may well tend to diminish their growth and to lessen the danger of sudden war."

The report, signed by Rear Admiral Charles J. Badger, president and former commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet, was approved by Secretary Daniels and was transmitted by him to the senate naval committee for its information in considering pending disarmament and naval policy resolutions.

Asserting that the guiding policy that had shaped the general board's construction recommendations since 1903, was that of eventually creating a navy equal to the strongest in the world, the board urges that no rest period or limitation of armament be agreed to by the United States that would modify the great naval building program of 1916 now under construction, in numbers, general types or dates of completion.

"In the future as at all times previous to the world war, we shall in all probability have to rely solely upon our own state of preparedness," says the report.

Cessation of naval building by Great Britain is attributed by the general board to the great preponderance in her navy of all types of ships and to the present economic situation in the empire.

The ships authorized in the 1916 program are thoroughly modern, the report says, and there is no reason to believe that developments in submarine or aerial warfare will seriously detract from their value for many years to come. The work o fcompleting the program, the report continues, should not, however, deter the navy from developing to the utmost new or partially developed weapons such as submarines, aircraft and aircraft carriers and making such additions to the fleet as will insure the successful development and use of sub-surface and aerial methods of warfare to the best possible advantage, should the need ever arise.

A suspension of work on the naval building program for six months to allow experts to determine in the light of the lessons of the world war what types of ships are most useful, as provided in the pending Borah resolution is neither necessary nor advisable, the board asserts.

The important facts regarding the naval operations of the war are already generally known, the report says.

Every new weapon of offense that has threatened the supremacy of the capital ship has been met by a successful mode of defense, it declares, citing the development of the torpedo as an illustration of the contention. The report points to the development of the submarine and of aircraft, and adds: "Invention will provide means for meeting the future development of these weapons and they like their dangerous predecessors, will continue to be only adjuncts of the fleet.

"It would be the height of unwisdom for any nation possessing seapower to pin its faith and change its practice upon mere theories as to the future developments of new and untried weapons, but that fact does not relieve us of the necessity of developing to the utmost new weapons and inventions as rapidly as possible."

Commenting on the great cost of maintaining modern navies, the report declares: "Naturally any scheme, proposition or invention which appears to offer a less expensive, shorter road to victory, is most attractive and generally finds enthusiastic supporters. Time and again, the naval policy of maritime nations has been influenced by these arguments.

"It is easy to lay a bomb on the deck of a ship, explode it from a safe place and then exclaim over the damage it has wrought, but it is a very different matter to place that same bomb from the air when under gunfire and attack by enemy planes."

Concluding with a strong argument for "equality with the strongest" as the nation's permanent naval policy, the report asserts that such a policy is directed against no nation or group of nations and is dictated on grounds of national safety. Pointing to the great growth of the American merchant marine, the report emphasizes that no nation has ever been able to establish and maintain a large merchant fleet without developing a navy to assist and protect it.

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SUIT FOR $13,000,000 AGAINST SHIP BOARD

NEW LONDON, Conn., Feb. 3—A suit in which the alleged damages are set at $13,000,000, has been brought by the Groton Iron Works, belonging to the Charles W. Morse shipbuilding concern, against the United States shipping board. The action is returnable here Feb. 8.

The Groton Iron Works, with yards in Groton and Noank, recently emerged from a receivership which followed a controversy over contracts with the Emergency Fleet corporation. The suit is the outcome of the receivership, the Morse interests claiming that the action of the shipping board in forcing a receivership has caused a great financial loss.

BUSINESS BRISK AT SUB-POSTOFFICE

Figures on the amount of business carried on in the new Middle street sub-postoffice for the month of January show totals almost as large as those for December the first month the office was in existence and during which time the Christmas rush was handled.

The figures for the month of January are so large that they prompt Postmaster Meehan and Victor F. Turnquist, in charge of the new station, to say that last month's business was really larger than that of December. If December had been minus the Christmas rush then the month of January would have shown a very large increase in the figures.

Everything that may be procured at the main postoffice is handled at the new station. During December the sub-office was not supplied with proper forms and blanks necessary for the making of foreign money orders, but early in January the forms were received and during that month 10 foreign money orders were issued through the new office.

The figures for the month of December for the sub-postoffice are as follows:

Number of registered letters or articles	980
Number of insured letters or articles	4479
Number of C.O.D. articles	35
Number of domestic money orders	1331
Number of domestic money orders cashed	246
Amount of stamp sales	$5030.74
Estimated number of parcel post packages received and sent out	25,500
January:	
Number of registered letters of articles	980
Number of insured letters or articles	1576
Number of C.O.D. articles	26
Number of domestic money orders	1310
Number of domestic money orders cashed	237
Number of foreign money orders	10
Amount of stamp sales	$5564.83
Estimated number of parcel post packages received and sent out	11,214

THESE BOYS WERE TAKING CHANCES

Scores of persons on their way home from work stood on Central bridge last evening and held their breath, as two boys, serenely unconscious of the excitement they were creating, piloted their way down the river on large pieces of ice, which were well out in the stream. Wires had been passed through holes made in the ice, and two boys on the shore held these. Far beyond their depth, with the frigid waters of the river beneath them, the lads strolled carelessly about on their ice-cakes, which occasionally went some inches beneath the surface, and from which a slip would have meant certain and swift drowning. Down the river they went, with poles to keep them from stranding at any point where the shore jutted out. And the ever increasing crowd on the bridge gasped and stared, fascinated.

The ice floe scene in "Way Down East" didn't have a thing on these youngsters, from a standpoint of thrills. It was a case of one misstep meaning death, and yet they were as calm as though on dry land.

Suddenly a cry came from one of the boys on the bank. The ice-cakes were yanked rapidly in the direction of the shore. But without waiting for them to be beached, the mariners leaped into the water and waded ashore, each one falling as he made the preliminary leap, and in consequence receiving a baptism by immersion in the water.

The watchers on the bridge stood mystified for a moment. They saw the boys tearing wildly in different directions. They craned their necks to discover the reason for this strange phenomenon, which led to the abandonment of the daredevil cruise. Then suddenly all was revealed, as a policeman hove in sight. But the young sailors had vanished.

FIND SKELETON OF A MASTODON

BISBEE, Ariz., Feb. 3.—Discovery of the skeleton of a mastodon near Benson, 50 miles northwest of here, was reported today by Dr. Gilley of the Smithsonian Institute, in charge of a party that has for several days been uncovering the bones of pre-historic animals. The tusks of the mastodon skeleton measure more than six feet in length. The remains of a sea turtle about seven feet long were uncovered near the bones of the mastodon. Both specimens are being packed for shipment to the Smithsonian Institute.

TOKIO, Feb. 2 (by the Associated Press).—Proposals that Japan agree with other world powers to restrict armaments, which were recently submitted to the Kensei-Kai, or opposition party, by Yukio Ozaki, have been referred to a committee. It is declared by newspapers that the proposals threaten to split the party, as many members agree with M. Ozaki's theory but assert it is impracticable for Japan to curtail her military and naval programs.

NOTABLES SAIL TODAY

Marquis of Carisbrooke, Chas. M. Schwab and Wilson's Brother Off for Europe

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—The Marquis of Carisbrooke, who was booked to sail today for England aboard the steamship Aquitania, announced he would enter a business career with a large London shipping concern. He has never been engaged in any sort of commercial pursuit.

He is a son of the Prince of Battenberg, grandson of Queen Victoria, a cousin of King George and a brother of the queen of Spain. He has been a guest here for several months of General Cornelius Vanderbilt.

Charles M. Schwab, head of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, also was a passenger. At his office it was said he would visit England, France and Italy, but that his trip had no business significance. He is going abroad solely for rest and recreation, an assistant said.

Joseph R. Wilson, brother of President Wilson, also was on the passenger list.

Maine factories produce annually about 800,000,000 wooden spools on which thread is wound for sale.

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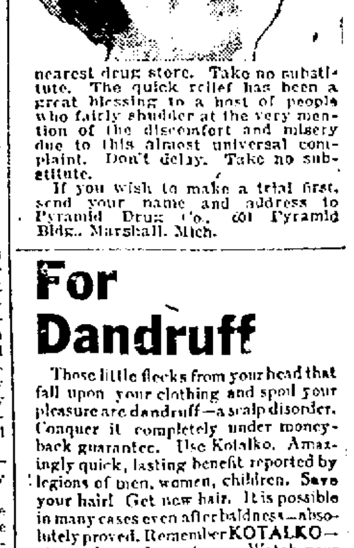

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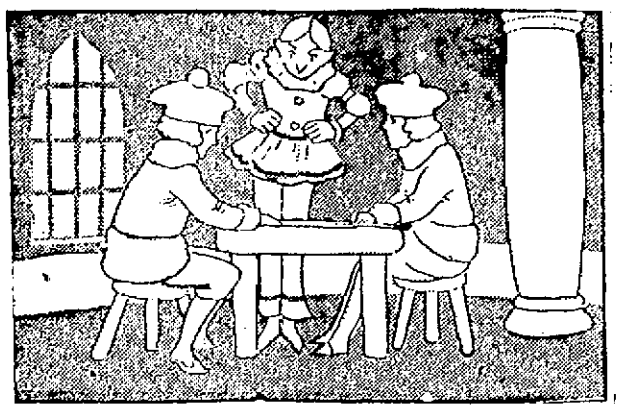
ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton.

CHECKERS

Day after day passed and not once did the little adventurers, Nancy and Nick, think of the errand upon which they were bent. The wicked Jinn had them prisoners in his ice-palace, or rather in his iceberg palace with its turrets and towers, floating around on the ocean. So much did it look like an ordinary iceberg, however, that the gulls and seabirds flying near, perched on its ledges, calling hoarsely to one another that the weather was fine, or that it looked like a storm and they'd better be making for land, never dreaming that the great mass of ice was really an enchanted palace and that two little children were prisoners within.



THE JINN BROUGHT OUT A CHECKER BOARD, AND FROM MORNING TO NIGHT THE LITTLE FOLKS PLAYED.

The little Red Slippers of Forgetfulness had put everything out of the minds of the little travelers. The Jinn had taken their own Magic Shoes and all their charms, which were to help them on their trip to the South Pole.

He brought a checker-board, and from morning until night the little folks played. Sometimes Nancy would win, and sometimes Nick, and the Jinn kept a great long list of how many games each had won. Not once did the twins mention their errand, because they had forgotten it; but the wicked wizard, as he watched them play had not forgotten, and he took good care that they did not kick off the bewitched Red Slippers. Things were going to suit him very well indeed, now, for he had promised the wicked fairy Snitcher-Snatch at the South Pole that he would do all he could to keep the twins away.

Outside, the walrus lay patiently on the ice, waiting. He had promised to help the children and he had not forgotten. Just now he was watching some whales in the sea.

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THE OLD HOME TOWN BY STANLEY

REPORT ON CEMETERIES

Commission Hears Report of Work of Supt. Duckworth for Year

The exceptional weather and temperature conditions of last winter were vividly recalled in the annual report of Supt. Thomas Duckworth, read at the meeing of the cemetery commission in city hall yesterday afternoon. The report states that for three months there were practically no burials, and that when the spring arrived the receiving tomb was filled to its capacity.

The report also showed that the commission has a cash balance on hand of $21,326.68.

The report, in substance, follows:

In this cemetery, as in all other cemeteries in New England, we encountered serious difficulties in burying the dead last winter. I found it practically impossible to keep the avenues open, although we kept the plow going all the time. During January, February and March there were practically no burials, all bodies going to the receiving tomb, which was filled to its capacity.

The spring was late in coming; it was almost May before we could begin our spring work. However, we got along very nicely and had all the cemeteries in good order before the 30th of May.

There have been an unusually large number of lots graded and repaired this season. The number of lots graded for perpetual care shows a growing desire on the part of the public for permanent care. This has been a banner year in this respect.

All necessary repairs on buildings and fences have been completed. Settees, baskets and all iron work repainted and put in good shape for the coming season.

In Westlawn cemetery a section of 120 lots has been levelled, graded and loamed, and is ready for seeding. We are keeping well ahead of lots for burial purposes. There are about 1000 single graves ready for use. Undeveloped land for about 6000 more single graves. I would advise a line of shrubbery planted in the rear of section 24 this coming spring.

Old English, School Street and Pawtucketville cemeteries have received the same care as Edson and Westlawn, fences repaired and lots kept in good condition.

Expense for the upkeep of old English cemetery, $220.

Expense for upkeep of the School street cemetery, $236.

Expense for the upkeep of the Pawtucketville cemetery, $139.

Sale of Lots

Lots were sold during the year as follows:

In Edson—13 lots, 13 single graves, with perpetual care.

In Westlawn—26 lots, 59 half lots, 118 single graves.

In the Edson there are about 1010 lots not deeded. Of this number nearly 300 are available for use.

Interments

The total number of interments was 637. Of these, 328 were in the Edson, 256 in Westlawn, two in the Old English cemetery. Entombments, 113, of which 20 were removed from the cemetery; lined graves, 19; chapel services, 18; vaults, 17. City burials, for which there is no compensation, 27; adults, 12; children 25. There were 14 burials in the free ground.

Care and Repair of Lots

ANNUAL CARE

Number cared for	2165
Number graded	191
Number graves filled	205
Number stones reset	7
Number stones reset	5
Number foundations	7

PERPETUAL CARE

Number cared for	1359
Number graded and repaired	18
Number graves filled	230
Number stones reset	7

Financial

Credit balance Jan. 1, 1920		$ 6,111.48
Receipts—		
Sale of lots	$ 1,334.00	
Care and repair of lots	7,497.50	
Interments	2,347.00	
Misc.—Recording	$3.55	
Total		$12,762.17
Transfer—		
J. H. Stackpole fund	15.00	
From perpetual care income of lots, years 1917, 1918, 1919 and 1920	17,550.00	17,565.00
Total credit		$36,772.15
Expenditures—		
Payrolls	$ 15,872.04	
Bills	5,570.89	21,442.93
Credit balance, Dec. 31, 1920		15,329.12
Cash receipts		5,896.56
Total amount available		$21,226.68
Accounts outstanding		$1,871.21
Amount of bills sent to the city treasurer for care and repair of streets		[illegible]
Perpetual Care		
Total amount of fund, 1919	$125,710.00	
Received during the year for lots put in perpetual care	11,500.00	
Total amount of fund		$137,[illegible]
Interest earned during the year (not included)		
Amount due perpetual account for care and repairs of lots during the past year		[illegible]

The sum of $14.70 was paid to John F. Webster for flowers placed on the J. H. Stackpole lot, in accordance with terms of legacy left to the commissioners in July, 1917.

Transferred from perpetual care interest fund for care of lots during 1917, 1918, 1919 and 1920 $17,550.00

Balance on hand, general fund Dec. 31, 1920 [illegible]

Total amount available [illegible]

Accounts [illegible]

Cash [illegible]

$21,226.68

Summary

[illegible] Total, cash, $5596.56; accounts, $12,762.17.

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AIR THICK WITH STREAK OF OATHS

Dawes Denounces Critics Who Seek to Minimize American War Efforts

Declares Politics Back of Attacks—Raps Pink Tea Diplomats

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Declaring he was not in politics and was not going in, Charles G. Dawes of Chicago, former chief of supply procurement for the American army in France, bitterly attacked yesterday what he charged were political attempts to discredit the achievements of the people who won the war.

In the course of a five-hour examination by a house war investigation committee he struck with sledge hammer blows at critics who had tried, he said, to detract from the glory of the great achievement by picking flaws and parading trivial faults 3000 miles away. At times the air was thick with a streak of oaths for which the witness frankly confessed he had neither apology nor excuse.

Later in the day he reiterated an earlier off-hand statement as to his own part in politics, which was accepted to mean that he would not become a member of Mr. Harding's cabinet with which his name has been linked. Even before his views on this subject were expressed, he sharply denounced the present system of conducting the federal government, an evil of 100 years' standing, he declared, with which investigators might better afford to deal instead of trying to scoop up water already over the dam. He was called by democratic members of the committee to rebut testimony to waste and extravagance and particularly with reference to liquidation of American accounts in France and sale of surplus stocks to the French government. Answering charges that food and clothing supplies might have brought more than the $400,000,000 paid by France, Mr. Dawes turned sharply upon one of his questioners, Representative Bland, republican, Indiana, and shouted:

"It is just that sort of fool argument that forced Great Britain to hold on to its stocks and attempt to drive a hard bargain. The stuff is there today, rotting. You cannot discuss an ex parte question 3000 miles away. There is no use to try and throw mud when you were not there to know conditions. England lost billions of dollars by listening to that sort of talk—listening to a lot of people who were afraid of muck rakers at home. They are raising the devil in England now because England did not sell its supplies when we sold."

Dr. Dawes said as a matter of fact he thought France was charged too much.

"Here you come now and charge," he said, "that we should not have sold sugar. The war department ordered the sale. The sugar went in a lump lot with the junk. Everything was second hand. We got 400 million dollars for it. We liquidated every account, and we did it because a lot of big men quit their jobs and went over there to help. We cleaned the slate, and congress today still has pending claims that date back to the Revolutionary war. It was a big job and we are proud of it. In finding fault and hunting responsibility, you don't have to go far. Pershing was the commander-in-chief, and his shoulders were big enough, thank God, to bear it."

Mr. Bland questioned Mr. Dawes about excessive prices paid for equipment and material.

"Sure we paid," he said. "We didn't dicker. Why, man alive, we had to win the war! It was a man's job. We would have paid horse prices for sheep, if the sheep could have pulled artillery to the front. The man like Johnson, there," he said, turning to the chairman of the committee, "was standing at the front to be shot at. We had to get him food and ammunition. Oh, it's all right now to say we bought too much vinegar and too many cold chisels, but we saved the civilization of the world."

Quite a lot of the questioning related to Great Britain.

"I am no more ashamed to stand up here for England than for the United States," said Mr. Dawes, jumping from his chair and racing around the little committee room. "It seems to be fashionable in American politics to attack England. I am not in politics and I am not going to be. And I thank God that in a crisis like we had there were no dickerings between the English-speaking peoples. England took over 40 per cent. of our troops. Of course, Pershing gave them five divisions, but it had to be done to save the allied line."

The line of questioning shifted constantly. Diplomats were mentioned.

"The diplomatic system of appointing men with pink tea experiences in war time," said Mr. Dawes, "was a rotten failure. It was all due to the appointment of society men—pink tea fellows. They couldn't get anywhere. We had George McFadden over there and he did in three days what the diplomats couldn't do in three months."

Declaring that the army was clean in all of its purchases and business methods, he said there was some comfort even at this late day in finding now a desire to set down an honorable record of its work.

"Every precaution was made to prevent payment of extortionate prices for supplies in France," he declared. "Every purchase had to have my O.K. and that of the French government.

"Of course there were thieves hanging around—adventurers who follow every calamity—some of them Americans, who wanted to reap a profit out of every deed of a soldier. There were grafters who went to Frenchmen with the supplies we needed and said they could demand and obtain exorbitant prices. They came openly to our men and offered bribes. And there we were needing their goods which we had to take, knowing there would be an assumption in some quarters that because we took them we were bribed."

Mr. Dawes also paid his respects to open diplomacy.

"Let me illustrate," he said. "We needed 50,000 artillery horses. They were in the fields, and it was harvest time in France, and everybody said there would be a revolution if we attempted to take them. It was my job to get them, and it was my argument that we could not get our men to the front without them, and unless we got them the Germans would break through. We didn't talk prices—we just pulled them out of the field. Of course that sort of stuff couldn't be printed."

"What did you get for the horses when they were re-sold to France?" he was asked.

"I don't know," he replied, "but the price was low. Of course it was. The horses were taken from the field. It is easy to find fault, easy to say we should have struck a bigger bargain. Put yourselves over there and I think your viewpoint would be different."

Before the supplies service was coordinated everybody, Mr. Dawes said, was pulling in different directions.

"We have got the same trouble here," he added, "with 10 cabinet officers, each trying to get everything for himself, regardless of the common welfare. The president ought to stop it."

Mr. Dawes said mistakes were made.

"But," he said, "I am glad that there is a desire in some quarters to make a permanent and honorable record of what our men did. There have been complaints that our surplus in France was sold. It would have kept 40,000 men there trying to guard it while we peddled it in small lots. The men were brought home, and the best bargain of the war was in the sale of that stuff to France.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Catherine Long, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Joseph F. Tobin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the eighth day of February, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Catharine Ella Brady, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Peter Brady of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the fifteenth day of February A. D. 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this [illegible] day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

James T. O'Donnell, Atty.

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GOV. PARKHURST LAID AT REST

Men Prominent in All Walks of Life in State and Nation Attend Funeral

Eloquent Eulogy by Rev. A. R. Scott—Streets Lined as Procession Passes

AUGUSTA, Me., Feb. 3.—"There are moments so solemn with a sense of loss and so filled with emotion that words are inadequate to express what we feel; the hush of silence seems more fitting."

These opening words of the eulogy of Rev. Alva R. Scott of the Bangor Unitarian church, his pastor, characterized the funeral service of solemn simplicity which was Maine's tribute to Frederic Hale Parkhurst, her dead governor in the South Parish Congregational church today.

In deference to the wishes of Mrs. Parkhurst, the funeral, although a state ceremony attended by men of prominence in all walks of life in state and nation, was as simple as possible. There was no singing.

The funeral cortege left the state house shortly after 1 o'clock for the church, passing through streets lined with sorrowing men, women and children, the men and boys with bared heads. Col. Frank M. Hume of Houlton, former commander of the 103rd regiment of the 26th Division, was chief marshal. The body in its heavy bronze casket, borne on a gun carriage, was escorted by a provisional battalion of the Third Infantry, Maine National Guard, Maj. Irving E. Thomas of Waterville, commanding, and the regimental band.

The honorary bearers were Chief Justice Leslie C. Cornish of the supreme court, United States Senators Fernald and Hale, Congressmen Goodall, White, Peters and Hersey, former Governors Cobb, Plaistead, Curtis and Milliken, Federal Judges Clarence Hale and Charles F. Johnson, former Chief Justice William P. Whitehouse of this city and Congressman-elect Carroll L. Beedy, of Portland. The active bearers were 22 members of the Maine Quartermaster Corps, commanded by Capt. Lester M. Hart.

In the funeral procession were Gov. Percival P. Baxter with his military staff and aides, members of the executive council, the associate justices of the supreme court, members of the legislature, which was in biennial session when the governor died, heads of state departments, Mayor Sanford L. Fogg of this city, and citizens' committees representing Augusta and Bangor.

New Hampshire was represented by Secretary of State Bean, Vermont by former Lieut. Gov. Mason S. Stone and Adjt. Gen. Herbert T. Johnson, and Massachusetts by Capt. John S. Barrows, one of Gov. Cox's personal aides.

The services at the church consisted of the reading of the Scriptures by Rev. Paul S. Phelan, pastor of the Augusta Unitarian church, prayer by Rev. James H. Ecob, pastor of the church in which the service was held, and the sermon and benediction by Rev. Mr. Scott.

"I come in this sacred hour," said the governor's pastor, "to pay a tribute of love and respect to a fellow townsman and a friend.

"Governor Parkhurst was instinctively a courteous and kingly man. A friendly gentleman, he was by nature and cultivation. In the heat of political discussion, self-control and deliberate speech were marked characteristics.

"He possessed an indomitable energy along with the careful training of a keen mind. His capacity for long and continuous hard work enabled him to accomplish more than most of us do. It is probable that in the last half year he forgot there are limits to physical strength.

"Colonel Parkhurst from his very boyhood had an ambition to make the most out of his life. He studied and planned to do something worth while to be of value to his community and his state and these he has served with devotion in many and varied ways.

"I have heard him say that he had an ambition to be governor of Maine. The office of chief executive to his mind afforded the great opportunity to serve his fellow citizens. His whole life was a preparation for this responsibility. His love for his native state can hardly be equalled. It is a severe loss when a man of fine integrity and a clean, strong manhood passes from us."

Bangor Pays Tribute

BANGOR, Me., Feb. 3.—Bangor paid tribute today to the memory of her distinguished son, the late Gov. Frederic Hale Parkhurst, schools being closed and courts adjourned for the day and business being suspended after the noon hour that citizens generally might attend the committal services here following the funeral services at Augusta. Flags on all public buildings and schools were lowered to half staff and city hall bell was tolled while the funeral procession was on its way to the cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Thomas Doole desire to thank all friends for kind expressions of sympathy and floral tributes received in their recent sad bereavement.

MRS. THOS. DOOLE and Family.

DEATHS

TURCOTTE—Miss Malina Turcotte died last evening at her home, 752 Merrimack street, aged 52 years, 3 months and 15 days. Deceased was a well known resident of Lowell and had lived here all her life. She leaves two sisters, Mrs. Della Caintre of Saskatchewan, P. Q., and Miss Helen Turcotte of Lowell.

NORTON—Mrs. Caroline Couture Norton died last night at the home of her son, William Norton, 32 Marshall street, aged 72 years, 3 months and 19 days. She leaves two sons, Alfred Norton of Lindenville, Vt., and William Norton, and one sister, Mrs. John Trudeau of Lowell.

BLAISDELL—Mrs. Clara A. Blaisdell died yesterday at the home of her grandson in Chelmsford, aged 76 years. She leaves two sisters, Mrs. Marcia Pierce of Dorchester and Mrs. Clara Burns of Saco, Me.; also four grandchildren. She was a member of the Ladies of the G.A.R., of Billerica. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker W. Herbert Blake.

LODGE—John P. Lodge died yesterday at his home in North Billerica, aged 55 years. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Mary A. Lodge; one son, Richard Lodge and three brothers, Mark of Manchester, Mass., and George and Albert Lodge of New Foundland, N. S. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker W. Herbert Blake.

DOUGHERTY—Mrs. Sarah Dougherty died yesterday at the Lowell General hospital, aged 70 years, 2 months and 29 days. She leaves one sister, Mrs. Martha Maker and two brothers, Chas. W. Forbes and Luther B. Forbes, all of Nashua, N. H. Her body was removed to the rooms of Hiram C. Brown.

FUNERALS

CONDON—The funeral services of Mrs. Annie E. Condon were held at her home, 200 Branch street yesterday afternoon, Rev. Asa R. Dills, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church, officiated. The bearers were James Droney, Jas. O'Brien, James McFadden, John Redding, Patrick O'Donohoe and William Brennan. Burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery, where Rev. Asa R. Dills read the committal service. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William C. Brown.

LONDON—The funeral services of Mrs. Annie E. London were held at her home, 200 Branch st, yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Asa R. Dills, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church, officiated. The bearers were James Droney, James O'Brien, James McFaden, John Redding, Patrick O'Donohue and William Brennan. Burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery where Rev. Asa R. Dills read the committal service. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Hiram C. Brown.

SMITH—The funeral of Mrs. Ann Smith took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from her home, 47 Fifth street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church, where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. James F. Lynch. The choir directed by Mr. Thomas P. Boulger sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Mr. Boulger and Miss Margaret Griffin. Mrs. Ella M. Reilly-Toye presided at the organ. There were many beautiful floral offerings, also many spiritual remembrances from sympathizing relatives and friends. The bearers were Messrs. Joseph Johnson, Thomas Doolan, David Price, John Sullivan, William Mathews and Patrick Moriarty. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Fr. Lynch conducted the committal service at the grave. Funeral Director James W. McKenna was in charge.

FUNERAL NOTICES

DOUGHERTY—Died in this city, Feb. 2, at the Lowell General hospital, Mrs. Sarah Dougherty, aged 70 years, 2 month, 29 days. Funeral services will be held from the undertaking parlors of Hiram C. Brown Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited, burial private.

KISIOLCK—Mrs. Ludwika Kisiolck died yesterday morning at St. John's hospital, aged 39 years. The body was removed to her home, 33 Front st, by Undertaker Joseph Urbanek. Funeral will take place Friday morning at 7.30 o'clock. Funeral mass at 8 o'clock at Holy Trinity church, High st.

SULLIVAN—The funeral of Michael Sullivan will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 5 Joiner's court, off Lawrence street. Funeral high mass will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Higgins Bros. in charge.

CARRON—The funeral of Mrs. Marie Helene (Cartier) Carron will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Willis J. Pettier, 803 Moody street. Solemn funeral mass at 9 o'clock at St. Joseph's church. Burial in St. Joseph's cemetery in charge of Undertakers Amedee S. Archambault & Sons.

AYOTTE—The funeral of Arthur J. Ayotte will take place Saturday morning from the home of his father-in-law, Mr. Albert Lario, 38 Decatur street, at 8 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Jean Baptiste church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Joseph's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

FOLEY—The funeral of John Foley will take place Friday morning from his home, 12 Hutchinson street at 9 o'clock. At St. Peter's church a funeral high mass of requiem will be celebrated at 9.45 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertaker William A. Mack.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to all our relatives and friends who by their kindness, floral and spiritual offerings helped to lighten the burdens during our recent bereavement in the death of our dear mother. Their kindness will ever be remembered by us.

MRS. GEO. P. FOGARTY.
MRS. DANIEL A. WHOLEY.

TWO ALARMS SOUNDED

Fire of Undetermined Origin in North Dormitory at Georgetown University

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Fire of undetermined origin started today under the roof of the North dormitory at Georgetown university, but was brought under control before the building had been seriously damaged.

The structure is the oldest at the university, having been built in 1795. It housed about 60 students.

The blaze was confined to the space under the roof and most of the damage was done by water. It was believed that a few thousand dollars would cover the total loss.

Companies responding to the first alarm were unable to cope with the blaze, and a second alarm called half a dozen additional engine companies to the scene.

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Private Durward Mosher of Camp Devens is visiting his mother in Beebe, Que.

General Butler Ames of this city, who was severely injured in an automobile accident in Woburn a few days ago, is reported as doing well, and it is said he will be able to leave the hospital and return to his home the latter part of the week.

A reception in honor of Edward Tucker of Sorel, Que., who is visiting relatives in this city, was held last evening in the home of Mrs. Jane Lachance, 765 Lakeview avenue. Lunch-meeting of the cemetery commission in was given.

Directors of the Middlesex Safe Deposit and Trust company at their meeting yesterday appointed Charles E. Walsh as manager of the savings department. Mr. Walsh has been in faithful service for the bank since 1901. He is the son of Inspector John Walsh of the police department.

It is expected that Street Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy and City Engineer Stephen Kearney will rub elbows next week with upwards of 5000 road building experts gathered from all parts of the world. They were planning to leave Monday to attend the annual convention of the American Road Builders' association that is to meet in Chicago February 8 and continue in session for the remainder of the week.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion staged a very successful valentine and dancing party in Legion hall last night. There was a large number in attendance and the members of the committee in charge were greatly pleased with the financial returns. A very pretty and comfortable "cosy corner" was provided through the courtesy of the Robertson Furniture company, which loaned furnishings for the purpose.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. George Latham and Miss Regina Jette were married yesterday afternoon at St. Joseph's rectory, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Athanase Marion, O.M.I. The couple were attended by Messrs. Theophile Jette and Seraphin St. Amand. At the close of the ceremony a wedding supper was served at the home of the bride's parents, 74 Cabot street, and later the couple left on an extended honeymoon trip. Upon their return they will make their home in this city.

REQUIEM MASSES

McCABE—In loving memory of my dear father, William P. McCabe, who passed away Feb. 4, 1916. Fifth anniversary requiem mass for the repose of his soul, to be celebrated at St. Patrick's church, Feb. 4, 1921, at 8 o'clock.

CARD OF THANKS

To friends: I wish to acknowledge and give my sincere thanks for the kind words of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes bestowed upon me in my recent bereavement and you may rest assured that it has made an impression upon me which time can never efface.

Sincerely,
A. L. ADAMS.

SHOW GERMANY HOW TO PAY WAR DEBT

PARIS, Feb. 3.—(By the Associated Press.)—Germany is told exactly how to eliminate the 76,000,000,000 marks deficit in her 1920 budget in the report to the allies of the conference of financial experts held in Brussels, made public here yesterday.

Certain German expenses are declared to have been multiplied 75 times over those of 1919 and certain German taxes are shown to be far below those the allied populations are paying. The report says:

"Many figures in the ordinary budget seem to have been established by an administration and parliament equally desirous of showing the world the precarious financial condition of Germany and her difficult situation."

If the recommendations are followed the budget should be speedily balanced, says the report, thus, with a continuation of Germany's economic recovery, the experts declare that Germany "in a relatively short period" can meet her treaty obligations through taxation, without continuing to increase her floating debt or inflate her currency.

The report says the 1919 and 1920 budgets of Germany carried a number of credits which were only partially disbursed, such as 16,500,000,000 marks for the allied armies of occupation expenses, of which only 4,500,000,000 marks was spent. The budget for 1920 carried 42,000,000,000 marks for execution of the peace treaty, while only 17,000,000,000 marks had been paid out up to Dec. 1 last.

Items not justified or greatly multiplied over previous appropriations are said to appear in the 1920 budget. The ministry of the interior appropriation was raised from 19,000,000 marks to 1,433,000,000 marks, an increase of 7500 per cent. The foreign affairs allowance was increased from 24,000,000 marks to 295,000,000 marks. The postal and telegraph employes' expenses multiplied seven times over those of 1913. Thirty-two billion marks were listed for economic subsidies, said to be largely unnecessary, and all or the greater part of these and similar expenses the report declares should disappear from future budgets.

The deficit of 19,000,000,000 marks in railways and other governmental operations should be eliminated through disappearance of the items charged and increasing of rates, which the report asserts have been inadequately raised. The German answer to a questionnaire is cited, showing there are 350,000 more government employes than before the war.

German direct taxes are deemed adequate, but the indirect taxes, including those on alcohol, tobacco, sugar and other articles, are declared to be greatly insufficient. The report says the allied taxes on the same commodities are vastly heavier, based on the purchasing power of money per-capita. The tax on such commodities is 70 times heavier in England and eleven times heavier in France than in Germany.

WITH THE FIREMEN

There was a telephone alarm at 9.55 o'clock this morning for a chimney fire at 37 B street. Last evening at 10.55 o'clock a portion of the department was called by telephone to 1527 Middlesex street for a slight blaze on the roof of the house, caused by sparks from the chimney.

FOR INDUSTRIAL PEACE

Wage Scale Based on Scientific Calculation Offered by Cartwright

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—A wage scale based on a scientific calculation of the relative efforts of capital and labor was offered as the remedy for industrial strife by Former Senator George W. Cartwright of California in an address to the Boston chamber of commerce today.

"We have learned that we cannot solve the problems of industry by raising wages," he said. "They went skyhigh during the war, and industrial disturbances multiplied. Some of us have learned that wages and hours are scientific questions and when that great fundamental fact has filtered through the brains of captains of industry and labor leaders, we will have made a tremendous stride toward industrial peace."

Violent methods invoked by either side will never solve the present problems, declared Mr. Cartwright. "Suppose employers should so combine as to succeed in beating labor into submission," he added. "We would have sullen and unwilling workers, and they would not earn their salt."

"Labor cannot afford to beat capital into submission. If by force they should succeed our private deposit boxes will be filled with idle dollars and idle dollars mean idle men."

In calling for tolerance during the present period, when the purchasing power of the people has been temporarily suspended, Mr. Cartwright pointed out that all of the world's greatest panics were preceded by violent agitation for some political or social nostrum in one or more of the great commercial nations.

OFFICERS INSTALLED

At a largely attended meeting of members of Branch St. Marie, A.C.F., which was held last evening in the rooms of the society in Carmine street, South Lowell, the newly elected officers were inducted into office. They are as follows: Rev. Guillaume Ouellette, O.M.I., chaplain; Ernest Mailhot, representative to the executive council; Albert Morin, president; Walter Surprenant, first vice president; Severe Dumont, second vice president; Joseph A. Plante, secretary-treasurer; Alphonse Surprenant, first marshal; Thomas Therlault, second marshal; Armand Surprenant, first auditor; Joseph Coutu, second auditor, and Cesaire Gelineau, third auditor. At the close of the meeting interesting remarks were made by the new officers and refreshments were served.

WILL INTERPRET ORIENTAL DANCES

Miss Eta Hazlitt, classic dancer, who will appear on the program with M. Oulukanoff, the Russian baritone, at Colonial hall on Thursday, Feb. 17, began her dancing training at the age of six. She attributes her present successful work to industrious application and study. Miss Hazlitt, in a recent interview, gives her views on this interesting subject.

"Almost every day girls whom I meet ask me if it is possible for them to become dancers by starting to study at 18 or 19. Although I began when the average child is just starting to school, I believe that it is possible for any girl who possesses natural grace, a sense of rhythm and a sound body to become a good classic dancer after three or four years of study. Probably no branch of art demands as many sacrifices if one is to become a professional dancer. First, hard study and lots of practice. Care of the health is almost as important, for I never remember seeing a successful dancer who did not possess good health. It means giving up many parties and pleasures which make demands upon the vitality, but in the end is well worth it. To any girl who possesses the qualifications, I would say that she has an excellent opportunity in this field, as I find that classic dancing is becoming more popular every day. In many cities they are now teaching it in the schools, and I have often been asked, while on tour with operatic companies in various cities, to appear before school boards and teachers' clubs to show and explain the principles of interpretive work."

Miss Hazlitt will interpret a Russian dance and an oriental dance at Colonial hall on Feb. 17, and many are looking forward to this occasion with great interest.

The other dancers on the program will be Miss June Moody, who will dance Pavlowa's famous "Swan" and interpret an 18th century dance, while Miss Mabelle Wood will show two toe dances of the modern school.

For some time past these dancers have been under the management of Mr. Franklyn Smith, who is also M. Oulukanoff's manager, and is through this circumstance that they will appear on M. Oulukanoff's program of Russian, Italian and American songs on this date.

Chicago has a snow-loading machine which does the work of 12 trucks and 60 men.

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YORK, Pa., Feb. 3.—Astray in Europe for seven years, a trunk belonging to A. B. Farquhar, a York manufacturer, is home today. It was lost in 1914, while Mr. Farquhar was traveling in Bulgaria. Among its other adventures, it survived a shipwreck in the Black sea. Its contents were intact.

Germany Plans Counter Proposals

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 3.—The German government has summoned its financial experts to prepare counter proposals on reparations for submission to the supreme council conference in London on Feb. 28, according to the Politiken's Berlin correspondent.

Alarming Spread of "Sleeping Sickness"

LONDON, Feb. 3.—Reports of new cases of sleeping sickness have been made by physicians in this city and throughout the country, quite an alarming spread of the disease being shown. There are now more than 100 cases in London and 321 in England and Wales.

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Pocono Jelly, 7½ oz. jar,	2 for 27c
Randall's Grape Juice, pt	30c
Apricots, Del Monte, No. 2½ can	38c
Peaches, Del Monte, No. 2½ can	45c
Pineapple, Del Monte, No. 2½ can	45c
Pears, Del Monte, No. 2 can,	35c
Pineapple, Hawaiian Star, No. 2½ can	38c
Peaches, Westlight, No. 2½ can	38c
Tomatoes, No. 3 can,	2 for 25c
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FRESH No. 1 SMELTS, Lb.	25c
SHRIMPS (Green) Lb.	30c
SALT CODFISH, Lb.	23c
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